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AVERY, SCHOONMAKER, VAN VOORHEES, WILTSIE,
RICKARD, AND OTHER FAMILIES.

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ELDREDGE

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Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb	

NOTE. The name Eldred, Eldredge, Eldridge existed in England before William the Conqueror landed on its shores. It is of Saxon origin and was borne by several of the Saxon kings. Eldred was king of Chester in 951. At the time of William the Conqueror, the Archbishop of Canterbury was an Eldredge. The family had lands in Wilts, Dorset, Somerset, Devon, Gloucester and York in 1085. John Eldredge, born 1552, was of Great Saxham and subsequently in Suffolk, where he died in 1632. He was a merchant and an extensive traveller and one of the founders of Virginia, being a director many years of the Virginia Company, and it is supposed but not proven that the early New England immigrants, William, Robert, Samuel, John and Nathaniel were closely related to him. For the sake of uniformity the name will be spelled "Eldredge" in this book as distinctive of this branch of the family who for several generations have so used it.

1 SAMUEL (ELDRED) ELDREDGE was born in England about 1620 but when he arrived in New England is not definitely known, but he was in Cambridge, Mass. before 1641, for during that year he, from that place, joined the Ancient and Honorable Artillery Company of Boston. He married Elizabeth, maiden name not known. Their first four children were born in Cambridge, but the birth places of the last three have not been found.

As Sergeant Eldred he occupied the Keayne farm in Chelsea, Mass. for two years, 1657-1659 but none of the births of his children are registered in that town. The next known of him is when he is listed among the first settlers of Aquidnessett, now Wickford, R. I., on July 3, 1663, with Samuel, Jr. May 4, 1668 as Samuel Eldred he signed a petition as an inhabitant of said Wickford, with eighteen others, which was sent to the General Court at Hartford, Conn., desiring protection of Connecticut "as promised four years

before, for if not, that so we may look for government and protection elsewhere, being not able to live either in our civil and ecclesiastical matters without government, which both the honor of God and the good of the country now calls upon us to seek after."

In Oct., 1668 he signed another petition, desiring with others, to be under the jurisdiction of Connecticut. In 1670 among the list of male adults in Wickford were Samuel, Thomas and James Eldredge. On Oct. 13th of that year he was appointed Constable of Wickford and those of that place were to repair to court at New London.

1670, June 22. He took Constable's oath at Wickford, under appointment of Connecticut, which then and for many years after, disputed the territory with Rhode Island. He was imprisoned this year by Rhode Island authorities, for assuming to call a jury on behalf of Connecticut, in a murder case—Thomas Flounders having killed Walter House.

1670, July 13. He wrote from Wickford to Thomas Stanton, at Stonington:—"Mr. Stanton, Sir: This is to inform you how the case stands with the town of Wickford, in respect of Rhode Island. This very day there came down, Mr. Samuel Wilson and Mr. Jireh Bull and Thomas Mumford, with his black staff, and upon this sad accident; and would have panelled the jury, whereupon I told them that they had nothing to do here, to panel a jury; but if they would look upon the corpse, they might, which several of them did. Then they commanded, in his Majesty's name, some to serve, and commanded myself to serve as a jurymen upon the inquest, and commanded John Cole and several others, which did refuse. I also warned them to serve in a jury for us, as we were under Connecticut, but they would not, but commanded us not to bury the man till a jury had passed on it by virtue of their power. So there was mighty commanding in his Majesty's name on both sides, and mighty threatening of carry to jail, insomuch that neither party could get twelve on a side. But at last they commanded all that were on their side to come out and they would panel a jury, if there were but six. Upon that account, the doors were shut where the corpse was, so they called the people to bear witness that they were obstructed in their power, and commanded us in his Majesty's name, not to bury the man, and told us that they would return our answer to their masters. We told them we would return their actings and words to our magistrates. So they commanded all the party to go with them. And so we proceeded and buried the man, and have searched for the murderer, but cannot find him, and therefore, would intreat you to send out after him, and send some this way, for we have never an officer here to grant me one. Sir, I would entreat you be strong

and send away word to Connecticut by the first, for we are in greater trouble than ever we were, and like to be in worse, therefore, mind your promises and stand by us. John Cole stood to it and assisted as much as could be, not having taken the oath. Captain Hudson has not been here since, and sir, the people will fain be doing, and beg to find that if it be not mended suddenly, it will be bad times here. Not more at present, but remain, yours to serve,

SAMWILL ELDREDGE."

July 21, 1670, a letter from Hartford to the authorities of Rhode Island, complains of the seizure of Mr. Samuel Eldred and John Cole, the former having been carried "from Wickford to the island of Rhode Island," and on Oct. 8, 1674 the General Court at Hartford "grants Samuel Eldred the sum of twenty robes for his good service in doing and suffering for this colony."

At a meeting of the Council held at Hartford, March 6, 1675/6, Samuel Eldred and John Sweet were allowed to transport "ten bushels of Indian corn apiece for their distressed families," because the people of Rhode Island had exhausted their own supply for the wounded men after the first engagement in King Philip's War, when practically every house in Narragansett was destroyed and the inhabitants driven off.

On July 29, 1679 among those who signed a petition in Wickford, were Samuel, John and Daniel Eldred.

Sep. 6, 1687, Samuel Eldred was taxed in Kingstown, R. I. under Sir Edmund Andros's levy as were also Samuel, Jr., Thomas, Daniel and John. In a list of freemen of Kingston, "alias Rochester," made in 1696, the following under the name of Eldred are enrolled: John, Daniel, Samuel, Thomas, Robert, Elisha, Thomas, Jr. and Anthony.

The last entry found concerning Samuel is in 1697, when he deeded his son John, one hundred acres of land in North Kingston, with a right on the other side of the Pequot Path. This was probably the home farm and where his son John died. The Eldred family burial plot lies a short distance east of the old Post Road from Providence to New London (the ancient Pequot Path) and is now grown up to weeds and brush, but the headstone of Capt. John is in fair condition. He died Sep. 17, 1742, aged 65 years and 1 month. At the death of John, an agreement was made between his wife Mary and the children, whereby his son Anthony was to have one-third of the homestead farm at the death of Mary, excepting one-half acre "where our father is buried which shall lye for a burying place for our said father's family forever." (Land Records, N. Kingston, Book 5a, p. 248.)

Testimony given by Henry Knowles, March 20, 1721 as to the Pequot Path "which was east of the ruins of an old house which belonged to old Mr. Eldred, father of Capt. John," shows that the home of Samuel Eldred had then fallen into decay.

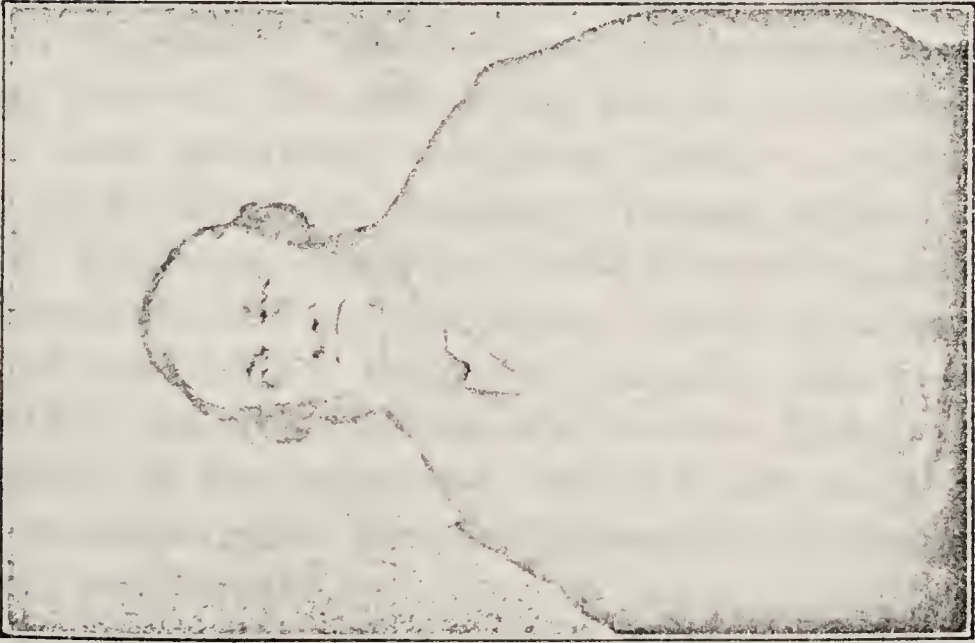
The children of Samuel and Elizabeth were, as far as known as follows:

- (1) Elizabeth, born 26th of 8th mo., 1642
- (2) Samuel, born 26th of 8th mo., 1644, married Martha Knowles.
- (3) Mary, born 15th of 4th mo., 1646, married Rouse Helme and died May 9, 1712.
- (4) Thomas, born 8th of 7th mo., 1648, married Susanna Cole.
- (5) James.
- (6) Daniel, married Mary ——— and died Aug. 13, 1726.
- (7) John, born Aug. 17, 1659, married Margaret Holden.

2 DANIEL ELDREDGE, son of Samuel and Elizabeth Eldredge, was probably born in the late 1650's but where, has not been ascertained. He was old enough to sign a petition in Kingston, R. I., July 29, 1679. He married about 1687, Mary, whose maiden name is not known but exhaustive research inclines one to the belief that she may have been a "Phillips," although no documentary evidence has been found to sustain it. He was taxed in Kingston, R. I., Sep. 6, 1687 and listed among the freemen there in 1696.

"Monday, Sep. 7, 1702, Progress of Governor Dudley of Mass. and the Governor and Council of Rhode Island. This morning, his Excellency, attended by the Lt. Governor, Col. Townsend, Col. Byfield, with several other gentlemen, went from Bristol over to the Narragansett Country, or King's Province and landed at Rochester (Kingston) where they were received with all respect by the gentlemen of the place. Capt. Daniel Eldredge attended with his company of arms, and his Excellency's commission from her Royall Majesty for the command of the militia, etc. of that country or Province, was there read and published." Signed, ISAAC ADDINGTON, Sec.

The compiler of "Old Homes in Stonington, Ct.," states that he came to that place in 1704 "as the town records show" and there he built his home, still standing, later known as the Elisha Bennet house, on the old road from the head of the Mystic to Wolf Neck "set back a little from the gaze of the traveller and sheltered by old apple trees." He worshipped in the Road Church and here "his children were baptized." Some of them returned to Kingston, but his grandson Christopher, of his son James, came to the old home to live. In 1903 it was owned by Benjamin Brown.



ROBERT NILES ELDRIDGE AND HIS WIFE MELINNA LOUISE JOHNSON

March 25, 1709, Capt. Daniel Eldredge, "formerly of Kingston, but later of Stonington, Ct.," purchased 100 acres of Joseph DOLLIVER "in ye Narragansett, Colony of Rhode Island," having for his neighbors, Ludowick Updike and the heirs of Capt. John Fones. About this time, perhaps previous to it, he purchased a new dwelling house in "the Narragansett," from Alexander Huling, the land lying between that formerly belonging to Major Richard Smith, dec'd, Ludowick Updike and Capt. Rhodes. The Kingston records have been badly mutilated by fires and the date on this deed is missing, but it just precedes the first one mentioned and they give about the probable time of his leaving Stonington and making his residence in North Kingston, which place he represented in the General Assembly of R. I. in Oct., 1715. He had previously been Deputy from Stonington to the General Court at Hartford, Ct., in May, 1709.

He made his will in North Kingston, R. I. and died there Aug. 13, 1726. He bequeathed his wife Mary, the use of his dwelling house, etc. and mentions his son Daniel of Stonington, sons James and Thomas, daughters Abigail, Mary, Freelove, Hannah and Sarah. The Capt. Daniel Eldredge referred to in the Diary of Joshua Hempstead is Daniel, Jr., who was also a Capt. and Deputy.

In 1729 the Narragansett Church Records mention Mary as Mrs. Capt. Daniel Eldred and as a "member and well wisher of the Church of England." She survived her husband many years, her will being probated Dec. 24, 1750, wherein she states she is of N. Kingston and mentions: daughter Freelove, wife of Nicholas Northup of N. Kingston; daughter Hannah, wife of Thomas Hazard of S. Kingston; daughter Sarah Carpenter; grandson Daniel of son "Daniel Eldred late of Groton," dec'd; grandson Christopher Eldred, of son James; daughter Abigail's eldest son; daughter Mary's eldest son John Miner; son ——— Eldred of Groton, all the remainder of the homestead "where I now dwell"; son Thomas Eldred; granddaughter Freelove Thomas of Nathaniel and Sarah Carpenter; son Richard.

The witnesses were Capt. James Eldred, Christopher Phillips, Sr. and Jr.

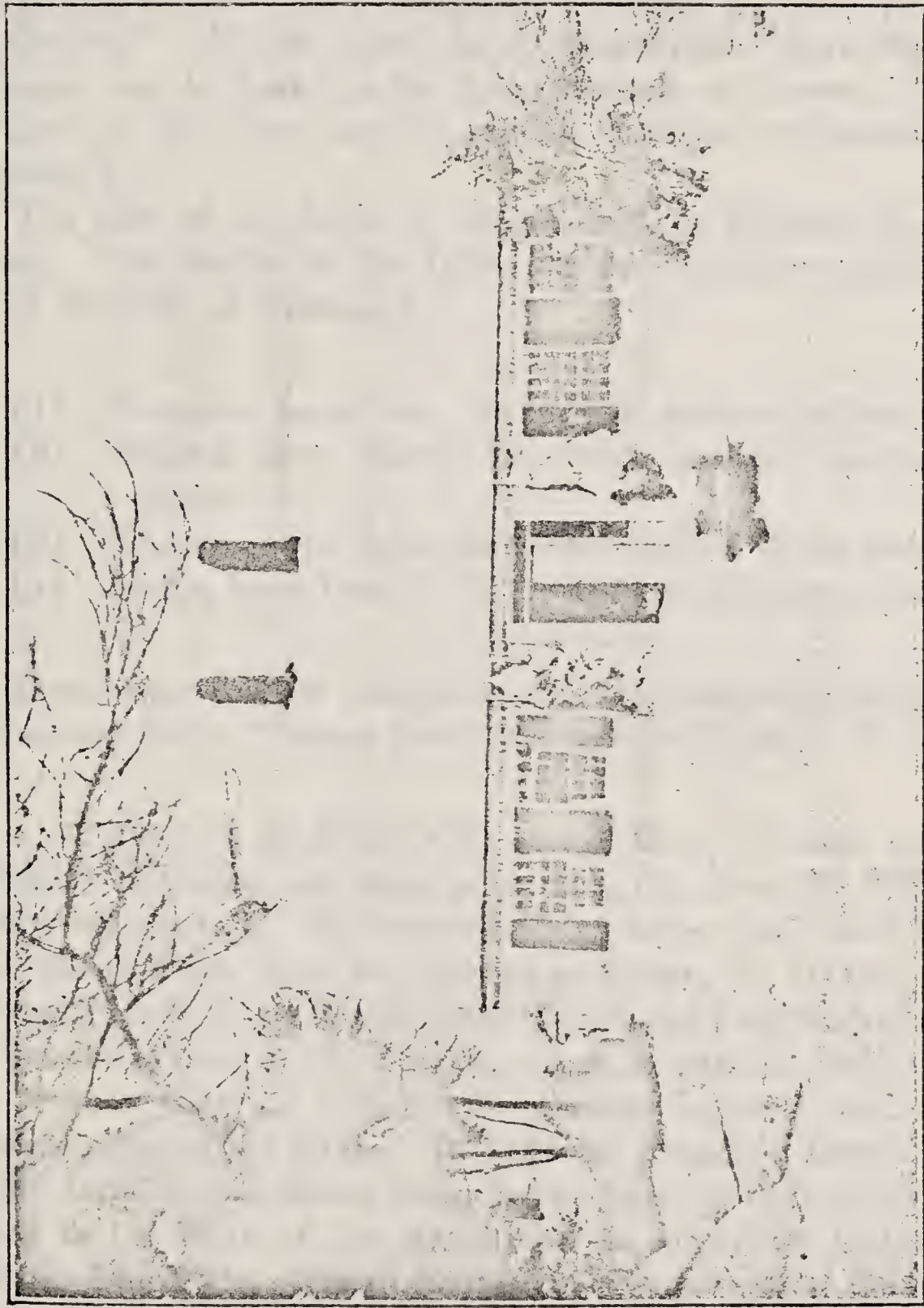
The births of the children of Capt. Daniel and Mary Eldredge are given as below in the Vital Records of Stonington, Ct., excepting the first child, Abigail:

- (1) Abigail, born Aug. 19, 1688, married Feb. 22, 1705, James Miner.
- (2) Daniel, born March 20, 1689/90, married Abigail Fish, June 26, 1711.

- (3) Mary, born Dec. 6, 1691, married John Miner, May 5, 1709.
- (4) Freelove, born March 25, 1695, died March 8, 1697.
- (5) James, born Dec. 5, 1696, married Mary ———.
- (6) Thomas, born Feb. 2, 1698/9, married Abigail Packer.
- (7) Freelove, born March 29, 1700/1, married Nicholas Northup.
- (8) Hannah, born March 20, 1702/3, married Richard Updike and Capt. Thomas Hazzard.
- (9) Sarah, born Jan. 29, 1705/6, married Nathaniel Carpenter.
- (10) Richard, born, April 9, 1712, died in Kingston, 1752.

3 THOMAS ELDREDGE, son of Daniel and Mary Eldredge, was born Feb. 2, 1699, in Stonington, Conn., and married in Groton, Ct., Oct. 12, 1727, Abigail Packer, born there Oct. 23, 1708. He was left property in Kingston, R. I., in the will of his father and it was probably the land he sold there as Thomas Eldred, April 19, 1734 (he being then of Groton, Ct.) to James Sweet of Portsmouth, consisting of 100 acres. Feb. 2, 1737/8 as Capt. Thomas Eldredge, mariner of Groton, Ct., he purchased 50 acres of land in Stonington, Ct.

He died at sea as the Diary of Joshua Hempstead of New London, p. 608, has the following item: "June 13, 1753. Mr. Stewart's Brigg which Capt. Thomas Eldredge salyd in arrived from Anguilla with salt & he Dyed on his passage home aged near 60, I suppose." July 16, 1753 his widow Abigail, with her son-in-law Oliver Gallup, gave an administration bond of one hundred pounds on his estate and on Aug. 13, 1754 it was divided, the widow receiving one-third and certain rooms in the house which were specified. The acreage each received was small, averaging about fifteen acres and the children named in the division were Thomas, Freelove, wife of Olliver Gallup, Abigail, Mary and Hannah. In 1756 the daughter Abigail, deeded to her mother, all her right to the buildings "which did belong to my honored father, Capt. Thomas Eldredge, late of Groton, dec'd." In 1755, Olliver and Freelove Gallup sold Peletiah Fitch, land which was "part of the farm which did belong to Capt. Thomas Eldredge." April 6, 1761, Thomas Eldredge sold land "part of farm which formerly belonged to my father, Capt. Thomas Eldredge." The daughter Mary had married Ebenezer Goddard and in Aug., 1758 they deeded to her mother Abigail, "land on Fort Hill, part of the farm which did belong to Capt. Thomas Eldredge," thus giving an idea as to the location of his property. Abigail Eldredge, widow of Thomas, was living in 1788 for on July 5th of



ELDRIDGE HOMESTEAD, MYSTIC, CONN.

that year she deeded her grandson Hugh Fidias of Groton (her daughter Hannah, married Hugh Fidias, Sr.), six acres of land "which did formerly belong to my husband, Capt. Thomas Eldredge, dec'd, and is the same I bought of Ebenezer Goddard and his wife of Groton." All the above land transactions after the death of Thomas may be found in the Land Records of Groton, Ct. and the division of his estate may be seen in the Probate Records of New London, Ct.

The date of the death of Abigail, wife of Thomas, has not been found. The births of the following four children appear on the Town Records of Groton, Ct.

- (1) Frelove, born Feb. 12, 1728/9, married Oliver Gallup.
- (2) Abigail, born March 24, 1731, married Nathaniel Williams.
- (3) Thomas, born June 28, 1733, married Helen Brown.
- (4) Mary, born Dec. 9, 1735, married Ebenezer Goddard.

There was another daughter (5) Hannah, who married Hugh Fidias and Capt. Thomas Park and died at Camden, N. Y.

4 THOMAS ELDREDGE, son of Capt. Thomas and Abigail (Packer) Eldredge, was born in Groton, Ct., June 28, 1733 and became a sea-captain. He married Helen Brown and lived in Groton until about 1793, when he removed to Union, N. Y. and settled on the south bank of the Susquehanna River, one-fourth of a mile above the present Vestal R. R. Station, where he died in 1804. On Nov. 5th of that year his widow, with Daniel Seymour, was appointed administrator of his estate. In 1885 his grandson Lewis was living on the farm he purchased when he removed to that territory. He served in the War of the Revolution as a private in Capt. John Dixon's Third Co., Third Battalion, Wadsworth's Brigade, Col. Comfort Sage; raised June, 1776, to reinforce Washington's Army at N. Y. In Battle of White Plains, Oct. 28, 1776; time expired Dec. 25, 1776 (Conn. Men in Rev., p. 400). Also private in Lieut.-Col. John Sumner's Co., Fourth Conn. Regt., commanded by Col. John Durkee; enlisted April 23, 1777; disch., April 23, 1780 (Adjutant-Gen., Wash., D. C.). "Among the early settlers in Vestal was Thomas Eldredge, an old Revolutionary soldier." (Hist. Binghamton, N. Y., p. 720.)

The family state he was in the garrison at New London when it was stormed by Arnold and was left for dead. The Revolutionary data in the State Library (arranged alphabetically) states that

Thomas Eldredge, born 1733, was allowed depreciation of wages 1780, and that he served in Rhode Island in 1779.

In the return of eight months, men belonging to the 4th Ct. Regt., commanded by John Durkee in 1779, Thomas Eldredge saw service in R. I. during the Revolutionary War. (Conn. Historical Society's Collections, Vol. 8, p. 66.)

The tradition in the family concerning Helen Brown is as follows: There lived in the city of Cork, Ireland, an Irish professor, with his wife and daughter Helen. Because of something which the professor wrote being obnoxious to the Government he was found guilty of treason and expatriated. He sailed under an assumed name for France and his wife and daughter taking the name of Brown, embarked for America where it was planned the father would meet them later. The vessel on which the mother and daughter sailed reached these shores, but no tidings of the husband and father ever came to them. After sometime the daughter married Thomas Eldredge, tradition states, at Nantucket.

No record at the latter place mentions the marriage, nor do the records of Groton, but as he was a sailor, he may have married at any of the Conn. or Mass. coast-towns, but they came to Groton to reside and the following children were born there:

- (1) Thomas, married Lydia Burrows.
- (2) Helen, married James Williams.
- (3) Daniel, married Phebe Franklin.
- (4) George, married Hannah Burrows.
- (5) Mary, married Anthony de Wolfe. She is said to have been the first woman to enter the fort at Groton after the battle in the Revolutionary War.
- (6) John, who died in Vestal, N. Y., April, 1865, aged 77 years.

Family tradition states that the first two sons were in the fort at Groton, Sep. 6, 1781, but the name of Daniel only appears on the tablet. There are two Daniels named there, one who was wounded and taken prisoner and one who was killed. There was also a Capt. Daniel Eldredge, one of the prize masters of the sea during the Revolution, who was wounded at Fort Griswold and who later received a position in the Navy Yard at Washington.

From the Diary of Jabez Fitch of Preston, Conn.: "Dec. 27, 1756, Bro^r & His Wife, M^r Stoddard & I Went over to Mistick a Visiting to Capt. Burrows', M^r Ellets, to Sam^l Burrows, & to Thomas Eldredg's, where We Had Concidrable Company & Staid Som Time, at all Which Plaises we was Treated Extreamply Well,

In ye Evening we went to Bro^{rs} again, only Left Stoddard at Eldredg's. This Evening we also Went Down to Mr. Foot's. Mar. 14, 1757, I went to Noank With Brother to Se Jn^o Fanen's child that was Scolt, then to Lam^{ll} Burrows, to John Lathams, Thos. Walworth's, then Home With Him, Trimd Some Peech trees, at Night a Company of ye Nabors was there, Th^o Eldredg & His wife & Josh Burrows Staid all Night. Singing Anough we Had." ("Mayflower" Descendant, 1, 103, 105.)

5 GEORGE ELDREDGE, son of Thomas and Helen (Brown) Eldredge, was a sea captain and died June 8, 1850, aged 80 years, 5 mos., 21 days. He married Hannah, who died Oct. 2, 1847, aged 80 years, 5 mos., 19 days, daughter of John and Hannah (Wilbur) Burrows. They were buried in the Packer Burying Ground but their bodies and headstones were removed about thirty years ago to the Elmgrove Cemetery in Mystic.

The Eldredge home at No. 2 Eldredge St., Mystic, Ct., still standing, came into the family from the father of Hannah (Burrows) Eldredge, with much adjoining land and here were born their children and most of their grandchildren and it is still occupied by Miss Mary E. Eldredge, one of the descendants of George and Hannah and who has been most helpful to the compiler of this book.

Capt. George and Hannah (Burrows) Eldredge had issue:

- (1) Capt. Elam, born June 18, 1793, died June 3, 1870; married first, Aug. 12, 1821, Eunice Burrows, born March 29, 1801, died May 7, 1822. He married second, June 10, 1827, Hannah Fitch, born Dec. 28, 1803, died May 27, 1885. He served in the War of 1812.
- (2) Nathan, born May 17, 1796, died July 9, 1873; married Elizabeth Ashbey. He served in the War of 1812.
- (3) Charles, died May 6, 1870, aged 72 years; married Desire Bill and Bridget Hempstead.
- (4) Delight, died Jan. 5, 1864, aged 63 years; married George Packer.
- (5) Capt. George W., born April 15, 1803, died March 4, 1881; married Sep. 6, 1825, Phebe Sawyer, born Nov. 12, 1807, died Nov. 18, 1889.
- (6) Winthrop, died at Key West, July 18, 1829, aged 24 years.
- (7) Capt. Thomas, born Oct. 27, 1807, died Dec. 30, 1889; married Betsey Williams, born Feb. 14, 1812, died Feb. 4, 1891.
- (8) William, died while on a sealing voyage.
- (9) Robert Niles. See below.

6 ROBERT NILES ELDREDGE, son of Capt. George and Hannah (Burrows) Eldredge, was born in the Eldredge homestead, Mystic, Ct., May 17, 1812 and died Sept. 29, 1884. He was a merchant in N. Y. and married there, Melinna Louise Johnson, born in N. Y. City, May 10, 1819, died Feb. 9, 1889 in Mystic, Ct. They are buried in the Elmgrove Cemetery in the latter place. Her death certificate states that she was the daughter of Robert N. and Mary Johnson, but a careful search of the N. Y. City directories of the period of her birth, do not list their names and her ancestry has not been found.

Their children as given below were all born in N. Y. City excepting the eldest one who was born in Mystic, Ct.:

- (1) Melinna Louise, born March 3, 1836, married Wm. H. Mitchell of N. Y. and died March 5, 1918.
- (2) Eliza, born Dec. 2, 1838, married, June 23, 1864, Simeon Gallup Fish of Mystic, Ct. and died Feb., 1900.
- (3) Frances Burrows, born Jan. 18, 1841, married, Dec. 1, 1868, John Owen Fish of Mystic, Ct. and died March 2, 1922.
- (4) Helen, born Feb. 9, 1843, married Sep. 2, 1861, Daniel Feitner of New York City and died Jan. 2, 1874.
- (5) William Henry, born March 2, 1845, married June 20, 1865, Julia Haight Gilman of Perth Amboy, N. J. and died Dec. 16, 1912. He was a Civil War Veteran, Co. K., 28th Infantry, Ct. Vol.
- (6) Harvey Wilbur, born Feb. 2, 1847, died unmarried Dec. 30, 1878.
- (7) Phebe, born Dec. 30, 1848, married Dec. 13, 1871, Charles L. Grinnell, Sea-Capt. and died Jan. 18, 1923.
- (8) Hannah B., died Jan. 4, 1857, aged 6 years.
- (9) Susan, died in infancy.
- (10) Robert Niles, born April 19, 1853, married Lillian Van Wart of N. J. and died May 22, 1889.
- (11) Thomas, born Jan. 19, 1855, died unmarried, April 26, 1881.
- (12) John Burrows, died Feb. 28, 1864, aged 4 years.
- (13) Edward Irving, born Sep. 27, 1857, married Helen Louise Dutcher.

Seven of the above are buried in Elmgrove Cemetery, Mystic, Ct.

7 EDWARD IRVING ELDREDGE, son of Robert Niles and Melinna Louise (Johnson) Eldredge, was born at 29 Banks St.,



EDWARD IRVING ELDREDGE, SR.

New York City, Sep. 27, 1857 and married in Monticello, N. Y., Dec. 28, 1881, Helen Louise Dutcher, born Liberty, N. Y., May 3, 1856, died Brooklyn, N. Y., Dec. 3, 1920. They were the parents of the following three children:

- (a) Melinna Louise Eldredge, married in Brooklyn, N. Y., July 20, 1915, Walter Harrison Cady, known as Harrison Cady, born Gardner, Me., June 17, 1877, son of Edwin Harrison and Elenora (Fuller) Cady. He is a well-known illustrator; member of art staff of the Brooklyn Eagle, 1900-4; has drawn many pictures since 1895 for Life, Puck and Judge; also for Century, St. Nicholas, Ladies Home Journal, Saturday Evening Post, Harper's Bazaar, etc.; made illustrations in color for books of Frances Hodgson Burnett, Robert Chambers, Thornton Burgess and others; wrote and illustrated Caleb Cottontail, etc. He is a member of the following clubs and resides in Brooklyn, N. Y.: Salmagundi, Dutch Treat, Authors League of America, Guild of Free Lance Artists, Society of American Illustrators, American Water Color Society.

Melinna Louise (Eldredge) Cady, during the late World War was chairman of the Home and Overseas Workroom of the Kings County Branch of the National League for Woman's Service, which sent to France each week three or four hundred garments for women, girls, boys and babies in the devastated sections. Many hospital bags were sent over seas but later these were made for the hospitals in Brooklyn, for the men in the wards to place their valuables in and to hang near their beds.

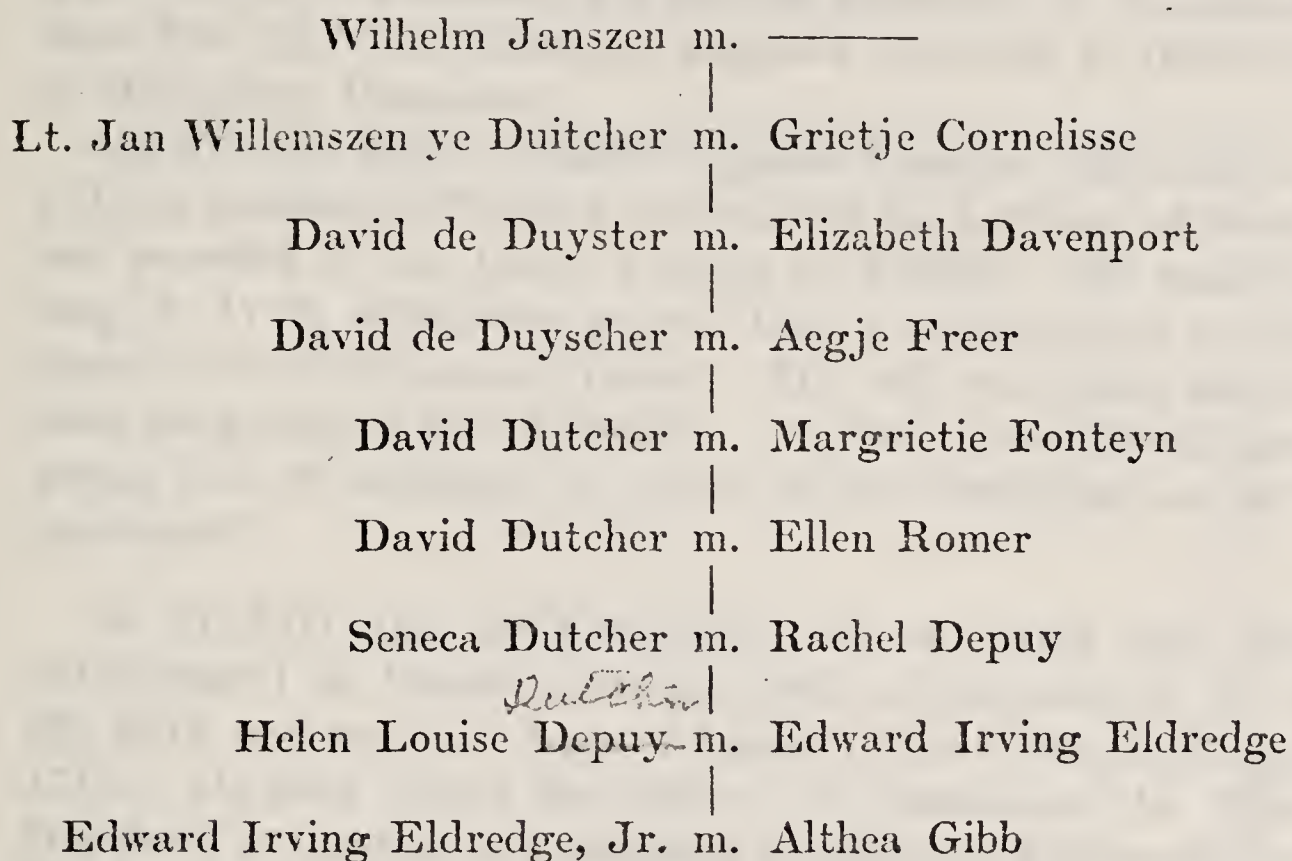
- (b) Edward Irving Eldredge, born May 8, 1887, married in Brooklyn, N. Y., June 1, 1917, Althea, only child of Walter and Florence Althea (Swan) Gibb of Brooklyn, N. Y. He died while on his way to California, in Hot Springs, Arizona, Feb. 7, 1925. He was a member of the New York Stock Exchange and a Vice President of Frederick Loeser & Co. of Brooklyn and resided in Glen Cove, L. I. During the late war he served as Ensign in the Navy. Issue: Mary Althea and Elaine Gibb Eldredge, born April 6, 1919 and Edward Irving Eldredge, born March 31, 1921.
- (c) Seneca Dutcher Eldredge, born July 17, 1888, married, March 5, 1921, Frances, born May 1, 1898, daughter of Irving Swan and Blanche (Albertson) Brown.

He and his brother E. Irving, both served more than five years in Squadron C., he in the 5th Troop and his brother in the 8th Troop. Both of them were consecutively private, corporal and sergeant. During the late War he attended the Second Plattsburg Camp where he was commissioned Second Lieutenant in the Field Artillery. From there he went to Camp Stanley, Lion Springs, Texas, then Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C., and finally to Camp Zachary Taylor, Louisville, Ky., where he was promoted to First Lieutenant and then to Captain. He is a member of the following clubs and resides in New York City: Metropolitan, Bankers, Bond Club of New York, New York Athletic Club, Chamber of Commerce, Squadron C., Cavalry Club. He is the senior member of the bond house of Eldredge & Company, New York City.

Issue: Seneca Dutcher Eldredge, born Oct. 23, 1922; Harrison Cady Eldredge, born Feb. 21, 1925.

References: Wm. H. Eldredge, of Twin Falls, Idaho, compiler of a forthcoming Eldredge Genealogy; Narragansett Historical Register, Vol. 2, pp. 112, 113, 114; Savage; History of Cambridge, Mass., p. 540 and its Vital Records; History of Chelsea, Mass., Vol. 1, p. 650; New England Register, Vol. 4, p. 55, Vol. 8, p. 345, Vol. 9, p. 168; Conn. Colonial Records, 1665-1677, pp. 138, 157, 241, 414, 417, Vol. 1706-1716, p. 90; Ancient and Honorable Artillery, Vol. 1, p. 114; Austin, p. 71; Old Homes in Stonington, Ct., pp. 78, 190; Kingston, R. I. Probate Records, Liber 6, pp. 199, 237, Liber 8, pp. 237; Narragansett Church Records, Vol. 2, p. 508; Diary of Joshua Hempstead of New London, p. 608; Vital Records of Stonington, Ct. in State Library at Hartford; Family Records; History of New London Co., pp. 419, 427-431; History of Broome Co., N. Y., p. 470.

DUTCHER



NOTE. The now so-called Dutcher family appears under some twenty different spellings but through them all have retained the national "Dutch" nickname as its modern designation. The meaning of the name is "The Dutch Man". Down to about 1700 the people of the Netherlands always referred to themselves as Duytsen or Neder Duytsen, whence the English appellation of Dutchman. "De" in French is "of" or "from" but in Dutch, the definite article "the".

1 WILHELM JANSZEN van Heerden in Gelderlandt, married Dec. 18, 1654 in New Amsterdam, Leentje Martens, widow of the patriotic Jochem Pieterszen Kuyter, who was slain by the Indians in March, 1654.

Leentje was also massacred by the Indians Sept. 15, 1655, her husband by some means escaping.

Heerden was a very small village about 30 miles from Arnheim in Gelderlandt, Holland. As Leentje Martens appears in the Dutch records as a matured woman in 1639, she was doubtless the second wife of Wilhelm Janszen.

2 JAN WILLEMSZEN, son of Wilhelm Janszen van Heerden by his first wife was the first to bear the name "ye Duitcher" which he used Sept. 1, 1689, when he took the oath of English allegiance to distinguish himself from others either English or German.

In Aug., 1660 he purchased land at Esopus and was to pay for it in instalments in grain and beavers. In Sept., 1663 he was fined for venturing outside the Kingston stockade without a guard, in violation of the decree made after the Indian massacre of June 7, 1663. In 1673 he was a Lieutenant under Capt. Mathysen at Kingston. He married Grietje Cornelisse. Issue: Willem, Cornelis, Cornelia, Catharina, Dirck, Barent, Roelof, David and Tys.

3 DAVID DE DUYSER, son of Jan Willemszen and Greitje (Cornelisse) ye Dutcher, was born in Kingston, N. Y., and married there Feb. 19, 1714, Elizabeth, baptized there Feb. 3, 1689, daughter of Humphrey Davenport.

In 1711 he was a volunteer against Canada. He removed after 1715 to Rumbout's Precinct and most of the baptisms of his children are recorded in the Dutch Church at Fishkill. He made his will Aug. 2, 1773, which was proved Dec. 1 of that year in which he states he is of the above Precinct. His wife was living and he mentions his grandson David Dutcher, son "of my son David deceased," giving him 20 shillings in "token of his birthright as my eldest grandson."

4 DAVID DE DUYSCHER, son of David and Elizabeth (Davenport) de Duyser, was baptized in Kingston, N. Y., March 27, 1715 and married Aegje (Agatha) Freer, baptized April 11, 1714. He died before his father. A commission to "David de Duycher" as Captain of a company of militia in Beekman's Precinct, Dutchess County, N. Y., was issued Feb. 1, 1758. He resided in New Hackensack, Dutchess Co. His first three children were baptized in Fishkill, the other seven in New Hackensack.

5 DAVID DUTCHER, son of David and Aegje (Freer) de Duyscher, was born in New Hackensack, N. Y., Sep. 14, 1740 and baptized there June 22, 1741, his baptism being witnessed by his Dutcher grandparents. He married Margrietie (known as Peggy) Fonteyn of William and Kniertie (Wiltsie) Fonteyn. His will is filed in Poughkeepsie, N. Y. (Liber F. p. 523), in which he states he is of Freedom, N. Y. Mentions his wife Margrietie and gives his son David one gun and other children he names as Abraham, Barnet, William, three children of son John, viz.: Joseph, David and Patty not of age, children, Antony and Zachariah Hill, of daughter Mary, former wife of Zachariah Hill, daughter Anne, wife of William Latson, daughter Elizabeth, wife of Henry Scott, daughter Sarah, wife of Joseph Simpson, daughter Catherine, wife of Martin Monfort. The will is dated April 12, 1822 and was proven Nov. 20, 1823. He made his sons Abraham and Barnet with James Van Keuren his executors. The original will was delivered to Reuben Tanner, who had been appointed administrator. Book C. of administrations, page 313½ shows that he died Aug. 11, 1823 and the named executors had declined to serve.

In the New York Genealogical and Biographical Record, Vol. 41, page 251, his son David is omitted. Liber. 13, p. 441 of Deeds at Poughkeepsie show that he was of Rumbout (Fishkill) in 1787, when he sold part of his farm which formerly belonged to Barneth



MELINNA LOUISE (ELDREDGE) CADY

Van Kleeck, deceased. This deed was not recorded until Dec. 19, 1795. Just how early he owned a farm was not ascertained but it was mortgaged before 1783 (Liber 5 of Mortgages, Poughkeepsie, p. 95). He was still in Fishkill when on May 1, 1815 he and his wife Margaret deeded land there to their son David. (Liber 25 of Deeds, p. 18.) He figures quite extensively in the deeds at Poughkeepsie but is not mentioned as of Freedom until Nov. 28, 1822, when he and wife Margaret deed James Van Keuren land there. (Liber 29, p. 214.) On Oct. 29, 1825 Reuben Tanner as his executor sold his farm in Fishkill to Martin Monfort, Jr., probably his grandson. (Liber 34, p. 346.) When his wife died is not known.

They are probably buried in Freedom Plains, N. Y., but their gravestones have not been found.

He served in the Revolutionary War as a private, 1st Regt., under Col. Van Shaick; in The Levies, under Col. Frederick Wessensfels; in the Dutchess Co. Militia, 2nd Regt., under Col. Abraham Brinckerhoff and as one of the Minute Men under Col. Jacobus Swartwout. (N. Y. in the Revolution by Roberts, pp. 20, 71, 136, 155.)

6 DAVID DUTCHER, son of David and Margrietie (Fonteyn) Dutcher, was born in 1782 and died July 10, 1843. He married before April, 1803, Ellen, born 1785, died Jan. 15, 1843, daughter of John Romer and before 1825 they were the parents of eleven children. In 1810 they were residing in Beekman and he was assessed for the turnpike between Beekman and Pawling in Dutchess Co., N. Y. (Liber 21 of Deeds, Poughkeepsie, p. 541.) May 1, 1817, David Dutcher and his wife Ellen of Beekman, sold land in Fishkill, "an estate of inheritance." (Liber 26, p. 257 of Deeds.) In about 1825 he with his wife, seven sons and four daughters removed to what is now Sullivan Co., N. Y., where he purchased land in Thompson, Jan. 13, 1823, from John and Sarah E. Adriance of Poughkeepsie, N. Y., which was recorded in Monticello, N. Y., Jan. 22, 1825, in Liber 4, p. 402 of Deeds, which doubtless shows the probable time of his arrival in that place. The deed states that he was of Freedom, Dutchess Co., N. Y. On May 26, 1832 he and his wife Ellen of Fallsburgh, N. Y., with Nathan S. Hammond and his wife Hannah of Thompson, N. Y., deed John P. Utter land in Fallsburgh, David reserving to himself the road to the spring. (Monticello Deeds, Liber 8, p. 315.) In 1837 he with his wife who signed as "Eleanor," deeded their son Alfred, a farm. (Monticello Deeds, Liber 14, p. 16.) On May 27, 1843 he deeded his son Seneca, certain land in Fallsburgh, and on May 30, 1843 he deeded land there to his sons Theodore and Thompson (Deeds at Monticello, Liber 19, pp. 318, 319, 320.) The destruction by fire

in 1909 of all wills in Sullivan Co. prior to 1876 deprives one of a source of information which value cannot be estimated. His children as far as could be ascertained were born near La Grangeville, Dutchess Co., N. Y., probably in Freedom and all their names which could be recalled by one of his descendants were: Thompson, Theodore, Cortland, Alfred, John Romer, Martha Caroline, called Caroline who married Stratton Porter, Harriet, married Thomas Hardenbergh, Margaret married Granville Porter and Seneca.

The descendants living in Liberty had remembrances of visits from cousins in Poughkeepsie who proved to be the children of Abraham, brother of David and the old family Bible of Abraham is now owned by Wm. A. Dutcher of Poughkeepsie, a descendant of said Abraham and his wife Elizabeth Maxfield. The Bible record as furnished is as follows: Abraham, born March 30, 1766, married April 4, 1792, Elizabeth Maxfield, born Oct. 15, 1775. Issue: David, born July 26, 1793, Susan born June 5, 1795 (single), Barnet born April 16, 1797, John born Sep. 11, 1798, Isaac born Sep. 22, 1802 (single), George born Sep. 26, 1804, Henry born Sep. 11, 1806, Abraham born April 16, 1809, Julia E. born June 28, 1811 (single), James E. born Feb. 5, 1817, Peter, born May 15, 1818.

It was the sons James E. and Henry who were recalled by the family in Liberty, N. Y., said James E. being one time Sheriff of Poughkeepsie. Descendants of the above children are still living in and about that place.

In the cemetery at Liberty, N. Y., where David and Ellen Dutcher are buried, the following gravestones were found of their children: Abraham, died Dec. 27, 1833, aged 30 years, Theodore Dutcher, died Sep. 14, 1864, aged 54 years, 3 mos., 3 days, Maria, his wife, died Dec. 31, 1893, aged 82 years, 11 mos. Thompson Dutcher died Dec. 23 1890, aged 77 yrs., 1 mo.; Caroline L., his wife, died July 7, 1891, aged 69 yrs., 11 mos., 8 days, John R. Dutcher, 1825-1897. In the Viele Cemetery at Neversink, N. Y., was the gravestone of Alfred Dutcher, who died March. 15, 1887, aged 76 years, and at Middletown, N. Y., was Margaret Ann, born July 11, 1806, died April 22, 1891, wife of Granville Porter.

He owned land in Fishkill, N. Y., deeded him by his father in 1787. On May 19, 1797 he purchased a farm on the south side of the road leading from Poughquagh to Poughkeepsie. (Liber 15 of Deeds at Poughkeepsie, p. 2) and on May 1, 1815 he mortgaged this property to Pierpont Tristie of Fishkill (Liber 21, p. 436 of Mortgages at Poughkeepsie).

7 SENECA DUTCHER, son of David and Ellen (Romer) Dutcher was born "near La Grangeville" (probably Freedom) Dutchess Co., N. Y., Nov. 15, 1815 and removed to Sullivan Co.,



HELEN LOUISE (DUTCHER) ELDREDGE

N. Y. with his father when ten years of age. He married first Rachel, born Dec. 18, 1822, daughter of Elias Depuy and according to a copy of his family Bible owned by his daughter, Olivia Ebinger of Monticello, N. Y., they had the following children: (Matter bracketed not in the record but furnished by her) Edson, born April 16, 1844 [married Frances Moore]; Enoch, born Dec. 18, 1846 [married Fanny Ogden]; Elizabeth Alice, born May 1, 1848 [married Robert McQueen Grant]; Riley, born March 8, 1850 [married Julia Sussman]; Helen Louise, born May 3, 1852 [married Edward Irving Eldredge].

Seneca Dutcher married second, Margaret, daughter of Samuel and Louise (Dabron) Potts and according to the above Bible record had, Sophia, born Oct. 18, 1864 [died not married Sep. 17, 1917]; Olivia, born July 20, 1871 [married Charles H. Ebinger]; Cornelia, born March 2, 1877 [married Arthur E. Griffith].

Rachel, first wife of Seneca Dutcher, died April 7, 1859, aged 37 years. He died Jan. 25, 1895 and they are buried in the cemetery at Liberty, N. Y. His home in Liberty was at Red Brick, three miles east of the town where he owned considerable land. On the farm was an old stone house. In 1867 he sold out and removed to Monticello, N. Y. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church in Liberty and united with the same denomination after removing to Monticello. His home is still standing on the principal street of the place and is owned by his daughter Olivia Ebinger. At the time of his death he was survived by son Edson, residing in Tacoma, Wash.; son Enoch in N. Y. City; son Riley in Buffalo; daughter Elizabeth, widow of R. M. Grant; daughter Helen, wife of Edward Irving Eldredge of Brooklyn, N. Y., and three daughters, Sophia, Olivia and Cornelia living at home not married. His second wife died suddenly in Dec., 1909. She was born at White Lake, Aug 27, 1835 and was married Nov. 6, 1863.

8 HELEN LOUISE DUTCHER, daughter of Seneca and Rachel (Depuy) Dutcher, was born in Liberty, N. Y., May 3, 1852 and married in the home of her father at Monticello, N. Y., Dec. 2, 1881, Edward Irving Eldredge, now living in Manhattan Borough, N. Y. City.

See Eldredge.

References: N. Y. Record, Vol. 40, pp. 185-191, Vol. 41, pp. 112, 113, 251; Deeds at Monticello and Poughkeepsie, N. Y. and Wills at the later place as mentioned in the above matter; Family Records; Fishkill, N. Y. Dutch Church Records, pp. 80, 133; Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Dutch Church Records, pp. 12, 32, 76, 123, 183; New Hackinsack, N. Y. Dutch Church Records, pp. 53, 56, 61, 133.

ASFORDBY

Jordan de Asfordby	m.	————
Sir William de Asfordby	m.	Muriel Billesby
Sir Jordan de Asfordby	m.	Petronella Coventry
William de Asfordby	m.	Muriel ———
John de Asfordby	m.	Margaret ———
William Asfordby	m.	————
John Asfordby	m.	————
William Asfordby	m.	Johana ———
William Asfordby	m.	————
John Asfordby	m.	Elizabeth Henage
Andrew Asfordby	m.	Jane Langton
Edward Asfordby	m.	Katherine Sandon
William Asfordby	m.	Eleanor Newcomen
John Asfordby	m.	Alice Wolley
Hon. William Asfordby	m.	Martha Burton
Elenor Asfordby	m.	Thomas Cock
Catherine Cock	m.	Col. Martin Reyersen
Nancy Reyersen	m.	Capt. Gerardus Hardenbergh
Rachel Hardenbergh	m.	Major Josiah Depuy
Elias Depuy	m.	Helen Brodhead
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 JORDAN DE ASFORDBY "held the 4th part of a fee in Asfordby of Geoffrey de Beningworth of ye Honor of the Countess of Bolingbroke." The name of his wife is not known.

2 SIR WILLIAM DE ASFORDBY, son of Jordan de Asfordby, Knight, Lord of Asfordby, Co. Lincoln, England, married Muriel, daughter of John Billesby, second son of Robert. She held a "manor in Ashfordby and Billesby of ye Honor of Lancaster" in the 25th year of Edward I, 1296-7.

3 SIR JORDAN DE ASFORDBY, son of Sir William and Muriel (Billesby) de Asfordby, Knight, held lands in Asfordby of the heir of Gerard de Chauncey, which were taken "into ye King's Lands 1327." He married Petronella, daughter of John Coventry.

4 WILLIAM DE ASFORDBY, eldest son of Sir Jordan and Petronella (Coventry) de Asfordby, married Muriel ———.

5 JOHN DE ASFORDBY, son of William and Muriel Asfordby, married Margaret ———.

6 WILLIAM ASFORDBY, son of John and Margaret Asfordby, married but name of wife not known.

7 JOHN ASFORDBY, son of William Asfordby, married. name of wife not known.

8 WILLIAM ASFORDBY, son of William Asfordby, married Johana ———.

9 WILLIAM ASFORDBY of William and Johana Asfordby, married a daughter of Kyme of Langton.

10 JOHN ASFORDBY, son of William Asfordby, married Elizabeth, daughter of John Henage of Haintown and died Nov. 16, 1527.

11 ANDREW ASFORDBY, son of John and Elizabeth (Henage) Asfordby, was born in 1514 and died before Dec. 15, 1558. He married Jane, daughter of Alexander and Cecely (Billesby) Langton. Her mother was daughter of John Billesby and had married second John, the father of her husband, Andrew Asfordby.

12 EDWARD ASFORDBY, son of Andrew and Jane (Langton) Asfordby, married Katherine, daughter of William Sandon.

13 WILLIAM ASFORDBY, son of Edward and Katherine (Sandon) Asfordby was of Newark-on-Trent, Nottinghamshire in 1617 and was buried at Saltfleetby, All Saints, in May, 1623. He married Eleanor, daughter of John Newcomen, baptized Saltfleetby, Nov. 10, 1576, married there, April 20, 1597, buried June 9, 1634.

14 JOHN ASFORDBY, son of William and Eleanor(Newcomen) Ashfordby, was living Nov. 11, 1657. He married Alice, daughter of William Wolley of Cumberworth, Oct. 14, 1634; she was buried at Saltfleetby, June 16, 1658.

15 WILLIAM ASFORDBY, eldest son of John and Alice (Wolley) Ashfordby, was baptized at Saltfleetby, March 29, 1638. He married Martha, daughter of Wiliam Burton of Burgh-in-the-Marsh. They emigrated to America and he became a Magistrate of Ulster County, N. Y. and a member of the First New York Assembly. His wife was living in England in 1668 and was executrix of his estate in 1698. She died April 20, 1711.

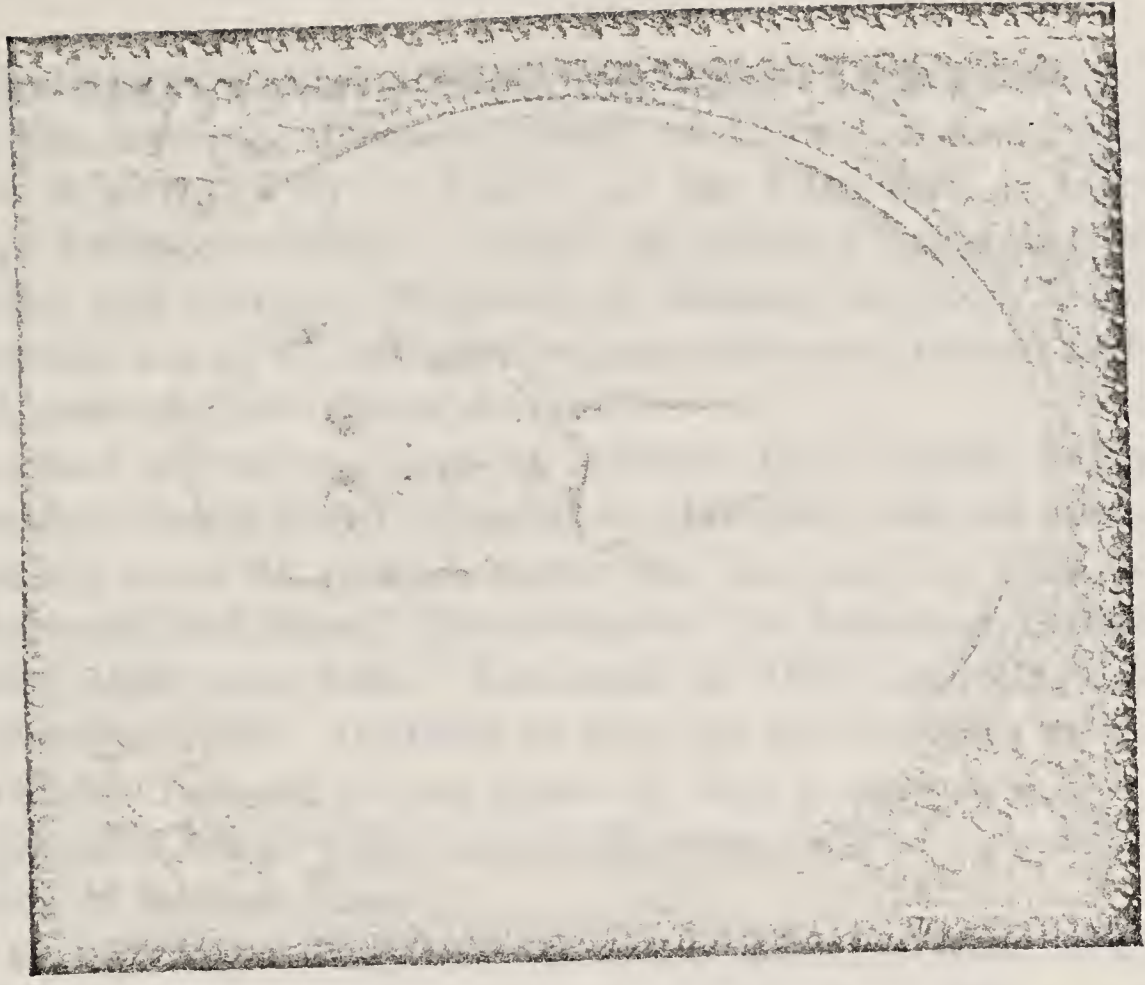
16 ELENOR ASFORDBY, daughter of William and Martha (Burton) Asfordby, was baptized in Kingston, N. Y., Feb. 26, 1682 and married Thomas Cock.

See Cock.

References: Ryerson Genealogy, pp. 337-339.

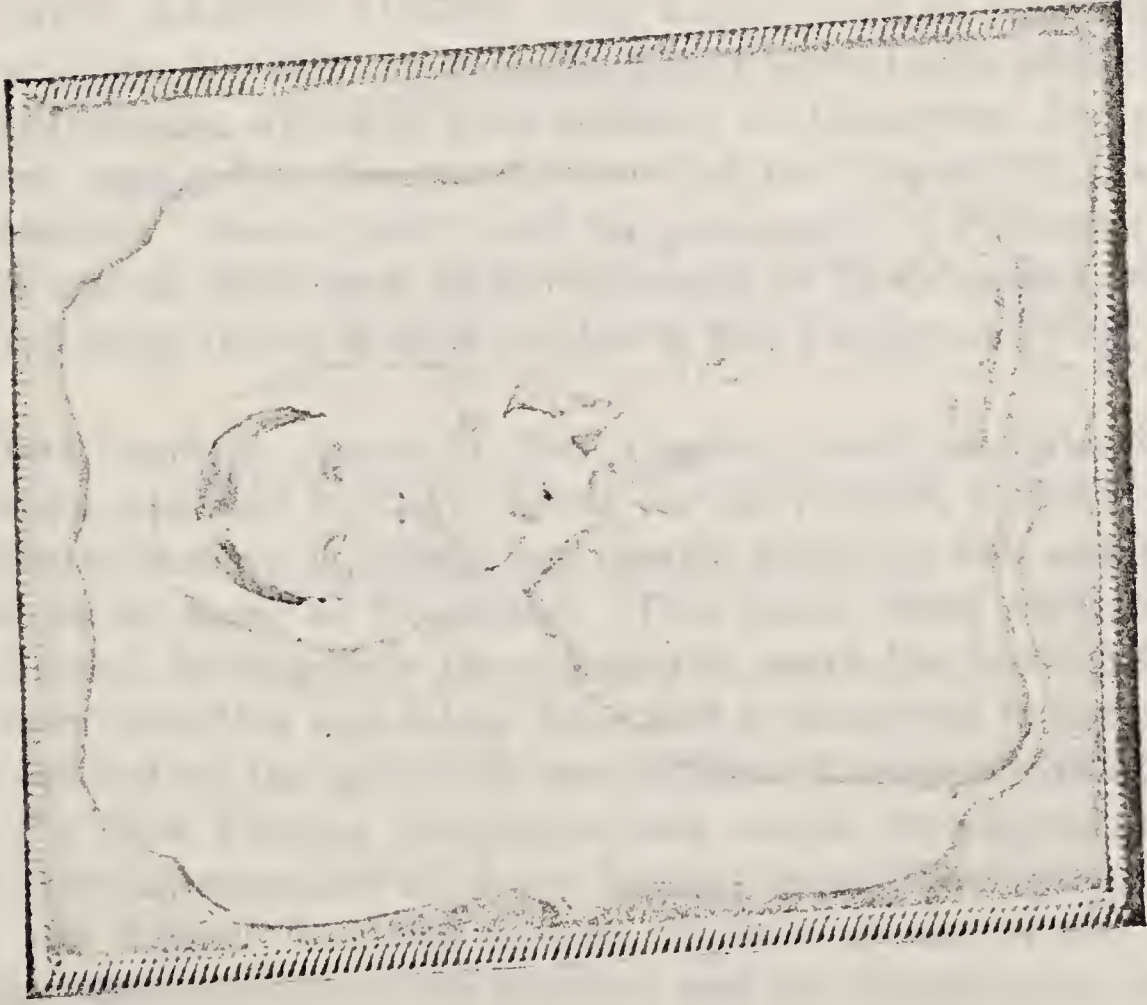
AVERY

Christopher Avery	m.	Margery Stephens
Capt. James Avery	m.	Joanna Greenslade
Capt. John Avery	m.	Abigail Chesebrough
Abigail Avery	m.	Capt. James Packer
Abigail Packer	m.	Capt. Thomas Eldredge
Capt. Thomas Eldredge	m.	Helen Brown
George Eldredge	m.	Hannah Burrows
Robert Niles Eldredge	m.	Melina Louise Johnson
Edward Irving Eldredge	m.	Helen Louise Dutcher
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb



ELAM ELDREDGE

1793-1870



HANNAH (FITCH) ELDREDGE

1803-1885

1 CHRISTOPHER AVERY was born in England about 1590. Among the marriage licenses, diocese of Exeter, Devon, England, Bishop's Registry, City of Exeter, at the Cathedral, is found his marriage license as follows: "Aug. 26, 1616, Christopher Aveye of Ipleden and Margery Stephens of Abbotts Kerswell." He was probably the son of Christopher, whose estate was inventoried Aug. 6, 1613, and who left widow Johanna.

He was a weaver and came to America before 1642, living first at Cape Ann, later called Gloucester. His wife did not come with him and the court at Ipswich noted that fact and in 1654 he told them she would not come. He was one of the Selectmen of Gloucester, 1650, 1652, and 1654. Constable in 1647, and Clerk of the Train Band in 1652. In 1655 he took up his residence in Boston, but in 1659 he followed his son James to New London, where in 1665 he purchased a house from Robert Burrows, which passed into the possession of his son James.

He brought from England with him a Breeches Bible, which has been handed down from father to son and which in 1912 was owned by the widow of James Oliver Avery of San Francisco.

2 CAPT. JAMES AVERY, only known child of Christopher Avery, was born in 1620 and came to New England with his father. Rev. Mr. Blinman, who had been minister at Gloucester for eight years, was engaged to become minister of the Pequot Plantation (New London). James Avery sold his possessions in Gloucester to his father and in 1651 took up his residence in New London, where he acquired large tracts of land at what is now Poquonoc Bridge and Groton.

In 1684 the first church of New London, which had stood for thirty years, was sold to Capt. Avery for six pounds, with the condition that he remove it within one month, which he did, using the materials in his home at Poquonoc. This house stood until 1894, when it burned, leaving only the chimney to mark the historic spot. A few years later this was taken down and a monument to his memory was erected on the spot. He was Ensign, Lieutenant and Captain of the New London companies and served throughout King Philip's War in command of forty Indians from Stonington, New London and Lyme. In 1676 he was Captain of one of the four companies which protected the frontier, and for twenty-three years an officer of the town and twelve times was Deputy to the General Court between 1656 and 1680. He was also Assistant Judge in the Perogative Court and prominent in all matters relating to the church. He married first, Nov. 10, 1643, Joanna Greenslade, born about 1622, died after 1693; he married second, July 4, 1698,

Mrs. Abigail (Ingraham) Chesebrough, then widow of Joshua Holmes. He died April 18, 1700.

3 JOHN AVERY, son of Capt. James and Joanna (Green-slade) Avery, was born in New London, Conn., Feb. 10, 1654, and married Nov. 29, 1675, Abigail, daughter of Samuel and Abigail (Ingraham) Chesebrough. He was an Ensign in his father's company in 1692 and its Captain in 1697, and died in 1715. He served through King Philip's War and received land for his services.

4 ABIGAIL AVERY, daughter of John and Abigail (Chesebrough) Avery was born in Groton, Conn., Jan. 18, 1679 and married Capt. James Packer. She died Nov. 10, 1722.

See Packer.

References: History of Stonington, Conn., pp. 199-202; Colonial Wars, 1899-1902; Avery Genealogy.

BASSETT

Capt. Michael Bassett	m.	Helena Van Alst
Stephen Bassett	m.	Ann Milledge
Helena Bassett	m.	Cornelius Schoonmaker
Antje Schoonmaker	m.	Charles Brodhead
Helen Brodhead	m.	Elias Depuy
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 MICHAEL BASSETT is first mentioned in the Dutch Church records of New York when on Dec. 5, 1693 he married Helena Van Alst, baptized in New York, Dec. 18, 1672. The marriage record states that he was from St. Christopher's Island and that she was the daughter of Joris Van Alst of Mespath Kills. The Calendar of Wills show that he was Capt. of the brigantine "Ann"

of N. Y., when he witnessed the will of a mariner on that boat, May 5, 1701.

March 8, 1706, styling himself mariner of N. Y. he made his will in which he mentions his eldest son John and his own wife Helena to whom he bequeaths all his estate during her widowhood, but at her death, his children are to inherit. He mentions "all my children" but does not name them. He made his wife and "his loving friend" Mr. Stephen De Lancey and Capt. Robert Lurting his executors. The will was proved July 1, 1741. His wife and Capt. Lurting were deceased and Stephen De Lancey declined to serve. Letters of administration were granted to Stephen Bassett, Gentleman of New Jersey, the other children John, Michael and Anne Young having refused.

2 STEPHEN BASSETT, son of Michael and Helena (Van Alst) Bassett, was baptized in the Dutch Church in N. Y. Dec. 22, 1706 and married Ann Milledge of whom no trace has been found.

3 HELENA BASSETT, daughter of Stephen and Ann (Milledge) Bassett was baptized Oct. 6, 1747 and married April 14, 1767 Cornelius Schoonmaker.

See Schoonmaker.

References: N. Y. Dutch Marriages, p. 76; baptisms, Vol. I, p. 320; N. Y. Wills, Vol. 3, p. 341; Calendar of Wills, p. 1; Schoonmaker Genealogy in Olde Ulster Magazine, Vol. 2, p. 185.

BERGEN

Hans Hansen Bergen m. Sarah Rapalie
 |
 Marritje Bergen m. Col. Jacob Rutsen
 |
 Catharine Rutsen m. Col. Johannes Hardenbergh
 |
 Abraham Hardenbergh m. Mary Roosa
 |
 Sarah Hardenbergh m. Capt. Charles Wessel Brodhead
 |
 Charles Brodhead m. Antje Schoonmaker
 |
 Helen Brodhead m. Elias Depuy
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 Rachel Depuy m. Seneca Dutcher
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BERGEN—*Continued*

Hans Hansen Bergen	m.	Sarah Rapalie
Marritje Bergen	m.	Col. Jacob Rutsen
Catharine Rutsen	m.	Col. Johannes Hardenbergh
Col. Johannes Hardenbergh	m.	Maria Du Bois
Capt. Gerardus Hardenbergh	m.	Nancy Reyersen
Rachel Hardenbergh	m.	Major Josiah Depuy
Elias Depuy	m.	Helen Brodhead
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 HANS HANSEN BERGEN was a native of Bergen in Norway, a ship carpenter by trade, who removed to Holland and in 1633 emigrated to New Amsterdam where at one period he had a tobacco plantation. In 1639 he married Sarah Rapalie, born in Albany, June 9, 1625, the first female child born in the Dutch Colony of European parentage. About 1643 he removed to his plantation of 400 acres at the Wallabout for which he obtained a patent March 30, 1647 and died about 1654.

2 MARRITJE BERGEN, daughter of Hans Hansen and Sarah (Rapalie) Bergen was baptized Oct. 8, 1651 in New Amsterdam and married Jacob Rutsen, born in Albany, 1650.

See Rutsen.

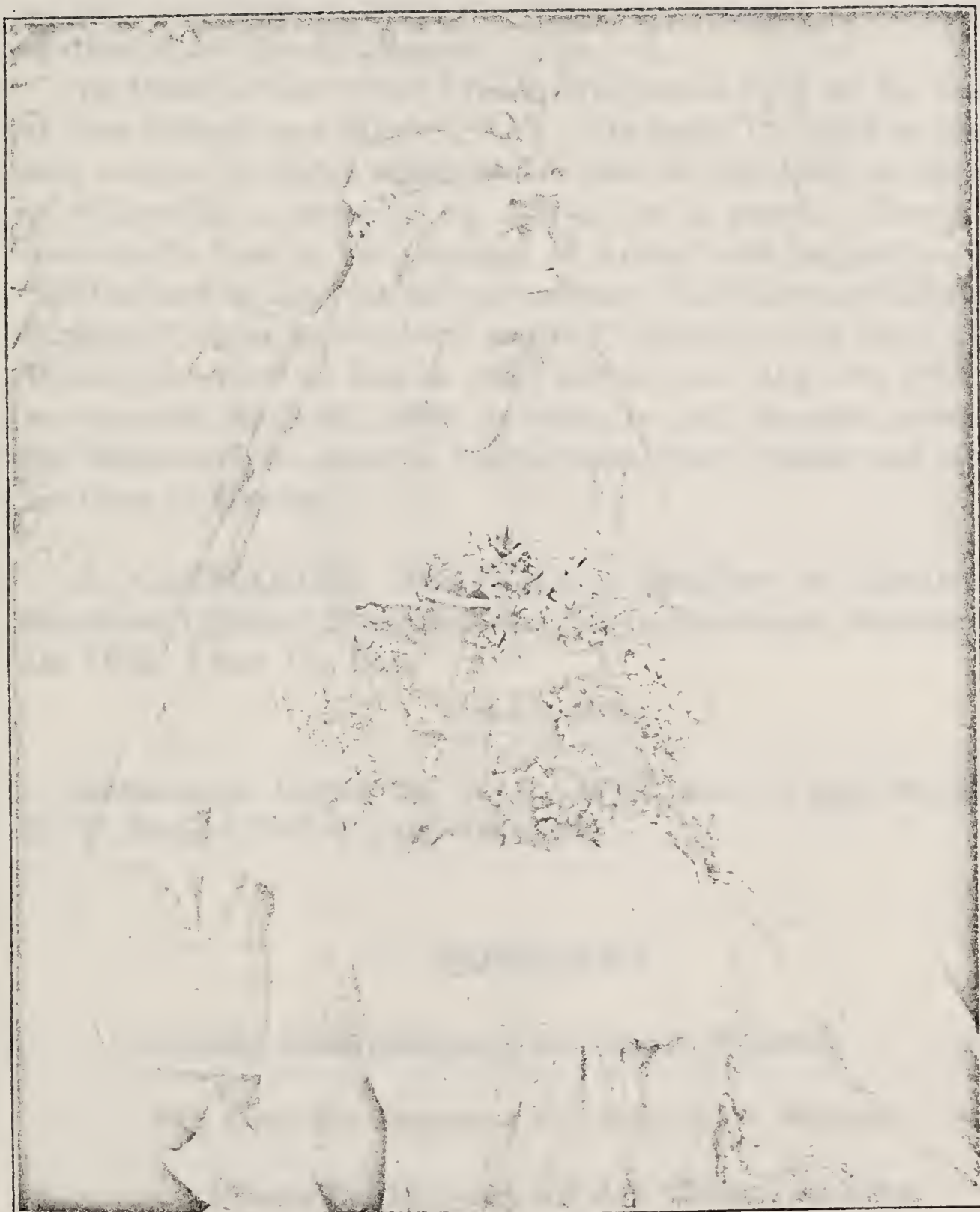
References: Early Settlers of Kings Co., p. 32, Olde Ulster Magazine, Vol. 5, p. 56.

BLANCHAN

Matthys Blançhan m. Maddelen Jorise
 |
 Catharine Blançhan m. Louis Du Bois
 |
 Louis Du Bois m. Rachel Hasbrouck
 |
 Maria Du Bois m. Col. Johannes Hardenbergh
 |
 Capt. Gerardus Hardenbergh m. Nancy Reyersen
 |
 Rachel Hardenbergh m. Major Josiah Depuy
 |
 Elias Depuy m. Helen Brodhead
 |
 Rachel Depuy m. Seneca Dutcher
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
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Matthys Blançhan m. Maddelen Jorise
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 Louis Du Bois m. Rachel Hasbrouck
 |
 Catrina Du Bois m. Wessel Brodhead
 |
 Capt. Charles Wessel Brodhead m. Sarah Hardenbergh
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 Charles Brodhead m. Antje Schoonmaker
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1 MATTHYS BLANÇHAN was a native of Artois, France, and fled from religious persecution to Mannheim, Germany, where



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he became one of its citizens. On April 27, 1660 with his wife Maddelen Jorise, he embarked on the ship "Gilded Otter" for the new world, taking up his residence at Wiltwyck before Dec. 7, 1660 for on that date Dominie Blom recorded their presence at his first celebration of the Lord's Supper.

In 1662 he with other French Huguenots took up his residence at New Village, now Hurley, N. Y. On Sept. 17, 1665 he made his will, written in Dutch which states that he was born in the village of "Noeuville o corne in the parish de la paroisse Ricame de la conté de S: Paul in the province of Artois" and bequeaths his wife "all the land in America as long as she is his widow and all the land in Artois" where he was born and in "Armentiers and other places." While this will is on file, he made another one Aug. 22, 1671 which was records April 30, 1688 in which he and his wife agree as to the division of his estate in case of each other's death and mentions his farm in Hurley.

2 CATHARINE BLANCHAN, daughter of Matthys and Maddelen (Jorise) Blanchan, married in Mannheim, Germany, Oct. 10, 1655, Louis Du Bois.

See Du Bois.

References: Ulster Co. N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, pp. 30, 31, 48; N. Y. Record, Vol. 27, pp. 190-192.

BONGAERT

Cornelis Janse Bongaert	m.	Geesje Willemse
Jan Cornelise Bongaert	m.	Angenietje Strycker
Lammetie Bongaert	m.	Jan Claesen Romeyn
David Romeyn	m.	Angenitie Westervelt
John Romer	m.	Marytje Dutcher
Ellen Romer	m.	David Dutcher
Seneca Dutcher	m.	Rachel Depuy
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 CORNELIS JANSE BONGAERT (Boomgaert, Bongart, Bogert) as early as 1661 sold a house and lot in Flatbush, L. I., to Pieter Jansen, a shoemaker. His descendants residing mainly in New Jersey write the name Bogert. He married Geesje Willemse and died before May 18, 1681, when his widow is charged in the Dutch Church records of Flatbush for the use of the shroud and on Aug. 3, 1683 their children are charged for its use for her, the "deceased widow of Cornelis Bongaert." The records further show that he was buried in the church.

He was given power of attorney by Annetje Jans widow of Rev. Everardus Bogardus in 1649, to receive money due her mother Tryn Jansen.

2 JAN CORNELISE BONGAERT, son of Cornelis Janse and Geesje (Willemse) Bonegaert sold his property in Flatbush, L. I., lying on the Jamaica Road, Nov. 10, 1694 but had removed to Hackensack, N. J. prior to that time as in 1686 he and his wife were members of the Dutch Reformed Church of that place. He married Angenietje Strycker, daughter of Jan Strycker and widow of Claas Tysen.

3 LAMMETIE BONGAERT, daughter of Jan Cornelise and Angenietje (Strycker) Bongaert, was baptized in the Dutch Church in Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 14, 1677 and married in Hackensack, N. J., May 20, 1699, Jan Claesen Romeyn of that place.

See Romeyn.

References: Mss. in Long Island Historical Society of Reformed Dutch Church of Flatbush. Early Settlers of Kings Co., N. Y., pp. 42, 49, 289; Records of Dutch Church, Hackensack, N. J., pp. 1, 2, 25, 27, 37, 40.

BRODHEAD

Capt. Daniel Brodhead m. Ann Tye
 |
 Capt. Charles Brodhead m. Maria Ten Broeck
 |
 Wessel Brodhead m. Catrina Du Bois
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 Capt. Charles Wessel Brodhead m. Sarah Hardenbergh
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 Charles Brodhead m. Antje Schoonmaker
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1 CAPT. DANIEL BRODHEAD came to America in 1664. He had been made Captain of Musketeers by Charles II on his restoration in 1660 and crossed the ocean in Col. Richard Nickoll's expedition against the New Netherlands. The following year he was appointed Commander-in-chief of the English forces at Kingston, N. Y., where he remained until his death July 14, 1667. He married Ann, daughter of Frances and Lettia (Salmon) Tye and she, with sons Daniel and Charles came from England with him. Their son Richard was born here. On Oct. 1, 1686, in recognition of his services, James II of England, gave his wife a grant of land, the original deed being owned in 1914 by Lucas Brodhead of Kentucky, one of his descendants. Ann, his widow, married William Nottingham from whom descended Gov. De Witt Clinton of New York. At his death she became the wife of Thomas Garton in 1681.

In the will of Capt. Thomas Exton of New York, dated 1668, he bequeaths to "Mrs. Anna Brodhead, widow of Capt. Daniel," a gold ring with this "Poesie on it, God's Providence is our Inheritance."

Daniel Brodhead Jr. of Marbletown, N. Y., deceased, left his two brothers Charles and Richard, land purchased by his mother, of Teunis Jacobsen, which they divided. On Jan. 6, 1706/7 Charles sold his share to Richard (Liber A. A. of Deeds, Kingston, N. Y.).

Ann Garton had children, Charles, Richard and Daniel Brodhead, also William, John and Elizabeth Nottingham. On Oct. 1,

1686, she deeded her son Daniel land in Marbletown. He died without heirs and desired his property to be divided between his two brothers. Recorded March 29, 1709. (Liber A. A., p. 470, Kingston Deeds.)

Capt. Thomas Garton of Marbletown, N. Y., conveys to Capt. Charles Brodhead, Capt. Richard Brodhead and Capt. Wm. Nottingham, all the tract of land in Marbletown expressed in the patent granted by Col. Thos. Dongan to Daniel Brodhead, dec'd, dated Oct. 1, 1686. (Recorded Liber A. A., p. 403, Kingston, N. Y. Deeds.)

2 CHARLES BRODHEAD, son of Daniel and Ann (Tye) Brodhead, was born in Yorkshire, Eng., and came to America with his father and was soon in command as Capt. of the English Garrison at Kingston, N. Y. He married Nov. 14, 1693, in Kingston, Maria Ten Broeck, born 1674. At his death his widow received land at Marbletown, N. Y., where she made her permanent home and died July 9, 1717. As Captain he is named in the list of commanding officers of Ulster Co. for 1728 in the Documentary History of N. Y., Vol. 3, p. 569. In 1685 he was Ensign of Ulster Co. Foot Co. June 7, 1715, he had large acreage granted him by the Trustees of Marbletown.

Sep. 23, 1703, Charles and Richard Brodhead with Joris Midgah, Thomas Jansen and Cornelius Bogart applied to the Trustees of Marbletown for a tract of five hundred acres of land to lie on both sides of Esopus Creek at a place called by the Indians Askohan. This property is now covered practically by the great reservoir which supplies New York City with water. The Brodhead share remained in the family over two hundred years.

3 WESSEL BRODHEAD, son of Charles and Maria (Ten Broeck) Brodhead, was baptized in New Paltz, N. Y. Jan. 21, 1703 and died before 1748. He married in New Paltz, Jan. 25, 1734, Catrina Du Bois, born there Oct. 31, 1715. He died in Rochester, Ulster Co., N. Y. By his will he bequeathed his seven children 5666 acres of the Hardenbergh Patent, 819 acres fell to his son Charles Wessel who by will gave his land to his five sons, Wessel, Abraham, Charles, David and Jacob. Owing to the destruction by fire, 1909, of every will in Sullivan Co., N. Y., prior to 1876, the dates of death cannot be determined and the above is found in a deed dated Feb. 10, 1807, Liber 29, p. 533, Monticello, N. Y.

4 CHARLES WESSEL BRODHEAD, son of Wessel and Catrina (Du Bois) Brodhead, married Sarah Hardenbergh, bap-



MARY ALTHEA AND ELAINE GIBB, TWIN DAUGHTERS OF EDWARD IRVING AND
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tized at Kingston, N. Y., June 16, 1745, living 1784, daughter of Abraham and Mary (Roosa) Hardenbergh. He served in the Revolutionary War as Captain of a company raised at his own expense in Col. Hathorne's Regiment and was present at the surrender of Burgoyne. (Lineage Book of the Daughters of the American Revolution, Vol. 4, p. 240). Col. Johannes Hardenbergh conveyed to Charles W. Brodhead and his wife Sara of Marbletown, 30,000 acres of the Hardenbergh Patent." His will dated Marbletown, Aug. 28, 1799, proven Oct. 21, 1799, mentions his wife Sarah as dec'd and his sons Wessel, Abraham, Charles, David and Jacob and an incompetent daughter Marritie. (Kingston, N. Y. Wills C., p. 174.)

5 CHARLES BRODHEAD, son of Charles Wessel and Sarah (Hardenbergh) Brodhead was baptized in Marbletown, Ulster Co., N. Y. Dutch Church, Feb. 19, 1774 and married Antje (Anne) Schoonmaker, baptized July 6, 1772. On Jan. 18, 1825, then residing in Liberty, N. Y. they deeded Lot No. 3 of the Hardenbergh Patent to their son-in-law Elias Depuy of Neversink. They were of Liberty in 1820. (Liber 6, p. 627 Deeds, Monticello, N. Y.)

In 1807, Feb. 10, Wessel Brodhead of Marbletown and wife Antje, Abraham H. Brodhead and wife Ann of Marbletown, Charles Brodhead and wife Antje of New Paltz, David Brodhead and wife Phebe of Lumberland conveyed property to Jacob Brodhead of Rhinebeck "whereas Col. Johannes Hardenbergh conveyed (Jan. 5, 1784) to Charles W. Broadhead and wife Sara, 30,000 acres of the Hardenbergh Patent and whereas Wessel Brodhead of Marbletown by will bequeathed his seven children 5666 acres of which 810 fell to Charles W. Brodhead who by will gave his land to his five sons, Wessel, Abraham, Charles, David and Jacob." Ack, Feb. 22, 1814. Recorded May 1, 1852, Liber 29, p. 532 of Deeds, Monticello, N. Y. This deed because of the destruction of the wills by fire is valuable as it shows the heirs of Charles Wessel Brodhead living in 1814.

Charles Brodhead and wife Ann of Rochester, Ulster Co., N. Y. on Sep. 21, 1835 convey to Charles W. Brodhead and Jacob Brodhead of Fallsburgh (now Sullivan Co.) land in Rochester, Lot No. 5, formerly belonging to Cornelius Schoonmaker, dec'd. (Recorded at Kingston, N. Y. Liber 45 of Deeds, p. 370.)

6 HELEN BRODHEAD baptized as Helena, daughter of Charles and Antje (Schoonmaker) Brodhead was born in New Paltz, N. Y., April 14, 1800, and died May 9, 1868. She married Elias Depuy and they are buried close to the Dutch Church in Woodbourne, Sullivan Co., N. Y. She shared in the division of the great Hardenbergh Patent; Col. Johannes Hardenbergh in 1784

having deeded to Capt. Charles W. Brodhead and his wife Sarah, some 30,000 acres of the tract.

See Depuy.

References: Ulster Co., N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 42; N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 8; N. Y. Record, Vol. 19, pp. 70-71; Olde Ulster, Vol. 1, p. 97, Vol. 2, p. 241.

BURROWS

Robert Burrows	m.	Mary ———
John Burrows	m.	Hannah Culver
John Burrows	m.	Lydia Hubbard
Capt. John Burrows	m.	Desire Packer
Sergt. John Burrows	m.	Hannah Wilbur
Hannah Burrows	m.	George Eldredge
Robert Niles Eldredge	m.	Melinna Louise Johnson
Edward Irving Eldredge	m.	Helen Louise Dutcher
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 ROBERT BURROWS of Boston, married in Wethersfield, Conn. about 1641, Mary, the widow of Samuel Ireland who died in that place May 20, 1639. Nothing is known of her ancestry but she came to New England in the ship "Increase" which sailed from London, April, 1635, her age given as 30 years and that of her husband, Samuel Ireland, as 32 years. In 1650 Robert Burrows was given land in New London, Conn. and on the division of land vacated by the Pequot Indians in New London, he, John Packer and Robert Park all settled on the west bank of the Mystic River. His particular grant was dated April 3, 1651 and was described as that "parcel of land between the west side of the river and a high mountain of rocks." He was chosen the first ferryman across the Mystic. With a house in New London and estates at Poquonnock and on the Mystic he was in 1664 the third wealthiest man in New London. He died in Groton, Conn., Aug., 1682 and she in New London during 1672.

2 JOHN BURROWS, son of Robert and Mary Burrows was born in 1642 and became one of the patentees of the amended charter of New London in 1704. He married Hannah, daughter of Edward Culver, Dec. 14, 1670. His burial spot is marked by a huge granite slab "J. B. 74, d. 1716" which is located in the Wightman burying ground near the site of the first Meeting House of the Baptist Church in Groton, Conn., of which faith he was a liberal supporter. He died Feb. 12, 1716. Her will filed in New London, was dated in 1731 and proven June 28, 1733, in which she stated she was of Groton and a widow and mentions: sons John, Samuel, Robert, Jeremiah and Isaac, daughter Mary Tuttle, daughter Margaret, wife of Nathaniel Duey, daughter Hannah, wife of Henry Woodward, grandson John of son Isaac, granddaughter Elizabeth of son Isaac.

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3 JOHN BURROWS, son of John and Hannah (Culver) Burrows was born in Groton, Conn. Sep. 2, 1671 and died there May 26, 1752. He married there Oct. 14, 1700, Lydia, daughter of Hugh Hubbard and both are buried in the old Packer Burying Ground at Groton on the southwest slope of Pequot Hill. This cemetery appears to have several names, one being Lower Mystic or Portersville.

4 JOHN BURROWS, son of John and Lydia (Hubbard) Burrows was born in Groton, Conn., Nov. 14, 1701 and was known as Captain. He was a farmer and ship carpenter. He married in Groton, July 7, 1731, Desire, born Sep. 11, 1712, daughter of Capt. James Packer.

They resided on what is now known as Clift's Hill and tradition relates that by a single shot she brought down more than a score of flying pigeons; also that at one time using a huge chopping tray for a sled during the severe winter of 1740-1741, she darted from her chamber window, east on the snow-filled valley and crossed the river. He was commissioned Ensign of the Third Co. of militia in Groton, Oct. 25, 1745.

5 JOHN BURROWS, son of John and Desire (Packer) Burrows was born in Groton, Conn., Oct. 9, 1734 and died there in 1784. He married Sep. 13, 1761 Hannah Wilbur. They are buried in the old Packer Burying Ground in Groton. His pocket order-book and scrap-book journal were still in existence a few years ago owned by John Burroughs, son of Elam. They contain numerous and minute entries of his services at Crown Point and at Ticonderoga. He was familiarly known as Sargent Burrough as he was

an orderly Sargeant in the French and Indian Wars and was present at the capture of Quebec in 1759. He enlisted in the Revolutionary War, July 28, 1776 in Capt. Dickinson's Company. The men of this regiment under Col. Elmore were recruited in Connecticut and some from regulars serving in the north, some of the officers belonging to Mass. and New York and men were recruited from both states but credited to Conn. This regiment took the field in July, 1776 under Gen'l Schuyler and on Aug. 25th they marched from Albany in Tyron's Co. During the remainder of his service they were posted at Fort Stanwix, near Albany where the regiment broke up in the Spring of 1777 and the officers and a number of the men re-entered the Army in the Continental service in Conn., Mass. and N. Y. lines. He re-enlisted Jan. 6, 1777 at Fort Stanwix under Jedediah Huntington of Norwich. (Daughters of the American Revolution Lineage Book, Vol. 14, p. 335.)

6 HANNAH BURROWS, daughter of John and Hannah (Wilbur) Burrows was born April 13, 1767 died Oct. 2, 1847 and married George Eldredge, born Dec. 18, 1769, died June 8, 1850.

See Eldredge.

References: History of New London Co., Conn., p. 476; Eldredge Family Mss.; Colonial Records of Conn., 1744-1750, p. 166; Vital Records of Groton in State Library at Hartford; Burrows Genealogy; Cemetery at Mystic, Conn. and Elmgrove Cemetery; Wills, New London, Liber C., p. 651; also Book 1748-1755; New London Vitals in Deed Book No. 4, p. 320.



SENECA DUTCHER ELDREDGE AND HIS SON SENECA DUTCHER ELDREDGE

CHESEBROUGH

William Chesebrough m. Anna Stevenson
 |
 Samuel Chesebrough m. Abigail Ingraham
 |
 Abigail Packer m. Capt. John Avery
 |
 Abigail Avery m. Capt. James Packer
 |
 Abigail Packer m. Capt. Thomas Eldredge
 |
 Capt. Thomas Eldredge m. Helen Brown
 |
 George Eldredge m. Hannah Burrows
 |
 Robert Niles Eldredge m. Melinna Louise Johnson
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge m. Helen Louise Dutcher
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 WILLIAM CHESEBROUGH, the first white man who made what is now Stonington, Ct., his permanent place of abode, was born in Boston, England, 1594, and married there Dec. 6, 1620, Anna Stevenson. He was a gunsmith in England, but changed his vocation after locating in Stonington to farming and stock raising and improving large grants of land given him by the town of Pequot.

He came to New England in 1630 and resided for several years in Boston, Mass., where he was elected Constable in 1634. Previous to 1640 he removed to Braintree and that year he was elected Deputy to the Massachusetts General Court. Soon after he took up his residence in Rehoboth, where he was listed in 1643 and was admitted freeman at the General Court in Plymouth in 1648. Owing to some difficulty with the Indians he finally decided to make his permanent home in what is now Stonington. He was elected Deputy from that town to the General Court at Hartford in 1653, 1654, 1655, 1656. In 1658 he was appointed to manage the prudential affairs of the town and was one of the Commissioners to end small causes. He was one of the Selectmen there until Southertown (now Stonington, then in Massachusetts) was annexed to Connecticut, and was the first man elected Deputy in the years above stated. He died June 9, 1667. Their dwelling house stood on the west side of Wequetequock Cove, near the head of tide water.

2 SAMUEL CHESEBROUGH, son of William and Anna (Stevenson) Chesebrough, was baptized in Boston; England, April 1, 1627, and married Nov. 30, 1655, Abigail Ingraham. He was buried in Stonington, Ct., July 31, 1673, and his widow married second, Joshua Holmes; she married third, Capt. James Avery as his second wife. He was Deputy from Stonington, 1665, 1666, 1670, 1671, 1672, 1673.

3 ABIGAIL CHESEBROUGH, daughter of Samuel and Abigail (Ingraham) Chesebrough, was born Sept. 30, 1656, and married Nov. 29, 1675, John Avery, who died in 1715.

See Avery.

References: History of Stonington, Ct., pp. 288-292.

COCK

Jan Cock	m.	Magdalena Wood
Thomas Cock	m.	Elenor Asfordby
Catherine Cock	m.	Col. Martin Reyersen
Nancy Reyersen	m.	Capt. Gerardus Hardenbergh
Rachel Hardenbergh	m.	Major Josiah Depuy
Elias Depuy	m.	Helen Brodhead
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 JAN COCK (Kok-Cox) of Old England married in Kingston, N. Y., July 27, 1679, Magdalena Wood from England, both residing in Marbletown, N. Y.

2 THOMAS COCK, son of Jan and Magdalena (Wood) Cock was baptized in Kingston, N. Y., Jan. 3, 1682 and married Elenor, daughter of William Asfordby, baptized, Kingston, N. Y., Feb. 26, 1682.

3 CATHERINE COCK (Cox), daughter of Thomas and Elenor (Asfordby) Cock was baptized, Kingston, N. Y., Jan. 11, 1713, and married Col. Martin Reyersen, born Oct. 9, 1698.

See Reyersen.

References: Ryerson Genealogy, pp. 13, 337; Kingston Dutch Church Records, pp. 101, 504.

CORNELL

Guilliamé Cornelisé Cornell m. ———
 |
 William Guilliamé Cornell m. Margrieta Polhemus
 |
 Catrina Cornell m. Johannes Fonteyn
 |
 Sergt. William Fonteyn m. Kniertje Wiltsie
 |
 Margrietie Fonteyn m. David Dutcher
 |
 David Dutcher m. Ellen Romer
 |
 Seneca Dutcher m. Rachel Depuy
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 GUILLIAME CORNELISE (Cornell, Cornalé) was probably a Huguenot and settled in Flatbush, L. I. at an early period and died prior to July, 1666. On Aug. 9, 1658 he procured from Director Stuyvesant, a patent for a plantation in that place. The name of his descendants for more than a century was pronounced Cornalé with the accent on the "é" but is now known as Cornell.

Whom he married is not known, but their son Peter paid for the burial of his parents in the Dutch Church of Flatbush, July 13, 1667 and the records show that his mother was buried Dec. 12, 1665.

2 WILLIAM GUILLIAME CORNELL, son of Guilliamé Cornell probably emigrated with his father. He was a Magistrate of Flatbush from 1659 to 1664 and a member of the Dutch Church there in 1677. He married Margrieta, daughter of Rev. Polhemus

and it is not known when she died but on May 31, 1690 she paid for his grave in the Dutch Church in Flatbush.

3 CATRINA (CATHARINE) CORNELL, daughter of William Guilliame and Margrieta (Polhemus) Cornell, married in Flatbush Aug. 27, 1690, Johannes Fonteyn (Van Tine) of Bushwick, widower of Reymerighie Symonse.

See Fonteyn.

References: Records of the First Reformed Dutch Church at Flatbush, L. I.; Early Settlers of Kings Co., N. Y., pp. 73, 74.

CULVER

Edward Culver m. Ann Ellis

Mary Culver m. John Burrows

John Burrows m. Lydia Hubbard

Capt. John Burrows m. Desire Packer

Sergt. John Burrows m. Hannah Wilbur

Hannah Burrows m. George Eldredge

Robert Niles Eldredge m. Melinna Louise Johnson

Edward Irving Eldredge m. Helen Louise Dutcher

Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 EDWARD CULVER was born in England in 1600 and became the Puritan ancestor of the Culver family in New England, emigrating in 1635 with John Winthrop, Jr. He was a wheelwright and a member of the Mass. Bay Colony at Boston the year of his emigration. He removed to Dedham, Mass. and married there, Sept. 19, 1638, Ann Ellis. They resided at Roxbury for a short period but before 1653 had taken up their residence in New London, Ct., where besides having a land grant, he purchased the home of Robert Burrows, given the latter by the town, and established himself as a baker and brewer. In 1664 he relinquished his homestead to his son John and removed to a place near the head of the Mystic River and the Colonial Records show that he was a neighbor of Major



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When Captain in the Army, in the World War

Winthrop with whom he went to law. During King Philip's War of 1675/6 he was a noted scout and was ordered by the Conn. Government Feb. 10, 1675 "to go forth with John Stedman to scout and make what discovery they could of the enemy east of the Connecticut River." On March 16, 1675/6 he was ordered to Hartford with twenty Indians whom he seemed to have in charge. He was given land for his services as a volunteer in this war and died in 1685.

2 MARY CULVER, daughter of Edward and Ann (Ellis) Culver was born in Roxbury, Mass., April 11, 1652 and married Dec. 14, 1670, John Burrows who died Feb. 12, 1716.

See Burrows.

References: Colonial Records of Conn., 1665-1677, pp. 408, 417; 1678-1689, p. 88; Narragansett Historical Magazine, Vol. 1, p. 145; History of New London, Ct., p. 309; Savage.

DAVENPORT

Humphrey Davenport m. Johana Rosecrans

Elizabeth Davenport m. David de Duyster

David de Duyscher m. Aegje Freer

David Dutcher m. Margrietie Fonteyn (Van Tine)

David Dutcher m. Ellen Romer

Seneca Dutcher m. Rachel Depuy

Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge

Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 HUMPHREY DAVENPORT, born in the Island of Barbadoes was probably the son of John, aged 30 years, who emigrated there from England, 1635. He was early of Dorchester, Mass. and married Rachel, daughter of Thomas Holmes and had two sons before 1664. In 1667 Rachel having been convicted of card playing, they removed to Hartford, Ct. and later to New York where in 1674 they were living on the west side of Broadway, below Rector

Street. Before Feb., 1686 he had removed to Kingston, N. Y., where on Dec. 13, 1690 he was commissioned clerk of Ulster Co. and was living there as late as March 4, 1707/8. He married second, April 18, 1684, Johana, baptized Oct. 9, 1667, daughter of Harman Hendricksen Rosecrans who was living in 1726.

2 ELIZABETH DAVENPORT, daughter of Humphrey and Johana (Rosecrans) Davenport was baptized in Kingston, N. Y. Dutch Church, Feb. 3, 1689 and married there Feb. 19, 1714, David de Duyster.

See Dutcher.

References: New England Register, Vol. 33, p. 26; Ulster Co. N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 47; New York Wills, Vol. 2, p. 372; Savage; Kingston, N. Y. Dutch Church Baptisms and Marriages.

DUPUIS—DEPUY

Nicholas Dupuis	m.	Catharina de Vos
Moses Dupuis	m.	Maria Wynkoop
Moses Depuy	m.	Margriet Schoonmaker
Elias Depuy	m.	Rachel Robinson
Major Josiah Depuy	m.	Rachel Hardenbergh
Elias Depuy	m.	Helen Brodhead
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
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DUPUIS—DEPUY—*Continued*

Nicholas Dupuis m. Catharina de Vos
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 Moses Dupuis m. Maria Wynkoop
 |
 Catrina Depuy m. Benjamin Schoonmaker
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 Cornelius Schoonmaker m. Helena Bassett
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 Antje Schoonmaker m. Charles Brodhead
 |
 Helen Brodhead m. Elias Depuy
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1 NICHOLAS DUPUIS from Artois, France, his wife Catharina de Vos and three children, aged six, five and two years, sailed Oct., 1662 in the ship "Purmerland Church" for New Amsterdam, where they settled on what is now Broad St., N. Y. and were at once admitted to the Reformed Dutch Church. On March 19, 1663 he made application for land (and seed grain with six months' provision), which was granted him, the location of which was on Staten Island. This plantation fell to the son John probably after the death of his mother in 1705.

It is very doubtful if Nicholas ever occupied this grant for in Oct., 1664, when New Amsterdam became New York, he swore allegiance to the King of England and the following year was appointed "Beer and Weigh-house Porter," an important position of the time, from which office he may have realized sufficient aid to enable him to purchase a lot on Prince St. in 1667. In 1673 he joined Capt. Cornelis Steenwyck's Co. of militia and in 1674 paid taxes on his Broad St. residence at a valuation of \$2500. At some time previous to 1677 he had lived in New Utrecht, L. I. and the records of the First Reformed Dutch Church of Flatbush, state that he later removed to Bergen, N. J., where he and his wife were admitted to the Dutch Church in 1682. As he was in the fish-packing business, accounts probably for his frequent removals, for in 1676 and the following seven years, court records show that he was quite frequently at Kingston, N. Y., which place became the home of his son Moses in about 1680. In 1685 he sold his portion of a tract

of land, now located in Rockland Co., N. Y., which he had previously purchased with Pieter Jacobse Marius.

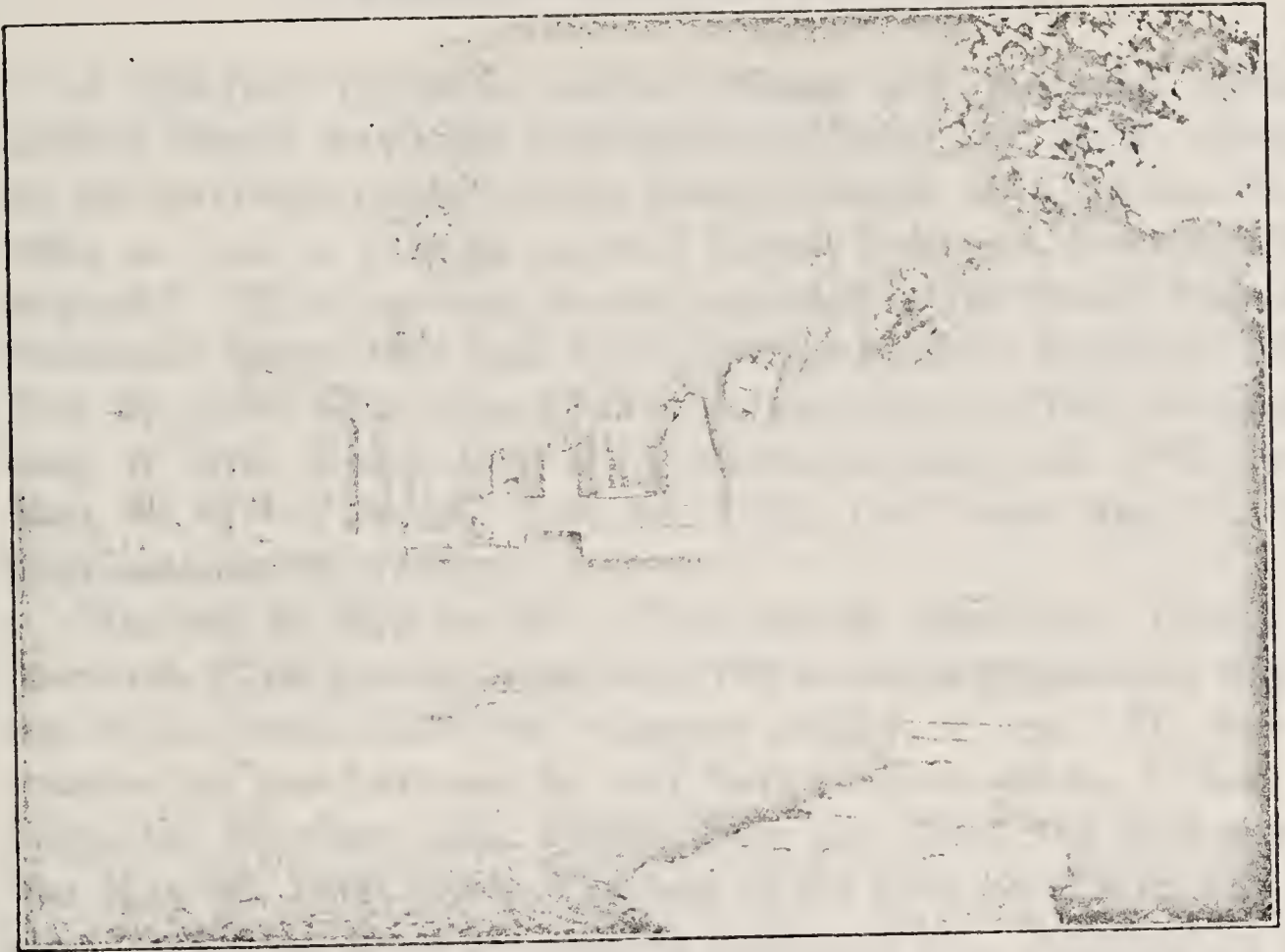
Sometime during the early 1680's he and his wife transferred their membership to the French Protestant Church which had become firmly established about that time in New York but they soon returned to the Dutch Church and in 1686 were living on Beaver St. and both members in good standing. Oct. 13, 1685 he made his will which was proven in New York July 14, 1691 in which he states he is a resident of that place. He gave all his estate to his wife for life, at her death it to be divided between his children, Jan, Moses, Susanah and Nicholas. (N. Y. Wills 1, p. 463). Catharina evidently went to live with her son John on Staten Island and there died intestate, administration being granted on her estate to her "eldest son John," July 13, 1705.

2 MOSES DUPUIS, son of Nicholas and Catharina (De Vos) Dupuis was born in 1657 and came to New Amsterdam with his parents in 1662. He married before 1681, Maria Wyncoop, born in Albany, 1660, daughter of Cornelis, who later settled at Kingston where Moses, then styled Du Puy, had temporarily established his home. He removed to Rochester, Ulster Co., where he and his sons were substantial farmers and among the foremost in upholding good government. His second marriage, recorded in the Dutch Church records of Kingston, states that he was the widower of Maria Wyncoop and married Oct. 16, 1724, Peterneltje De Pree, widow of Marinus Van Aken, "both living at Rochester." His eleven children were all by his first wife and their baptisms are recorded in the Kingston Dutch Church records. In 1703 he was one of the Trustees of Rochester.

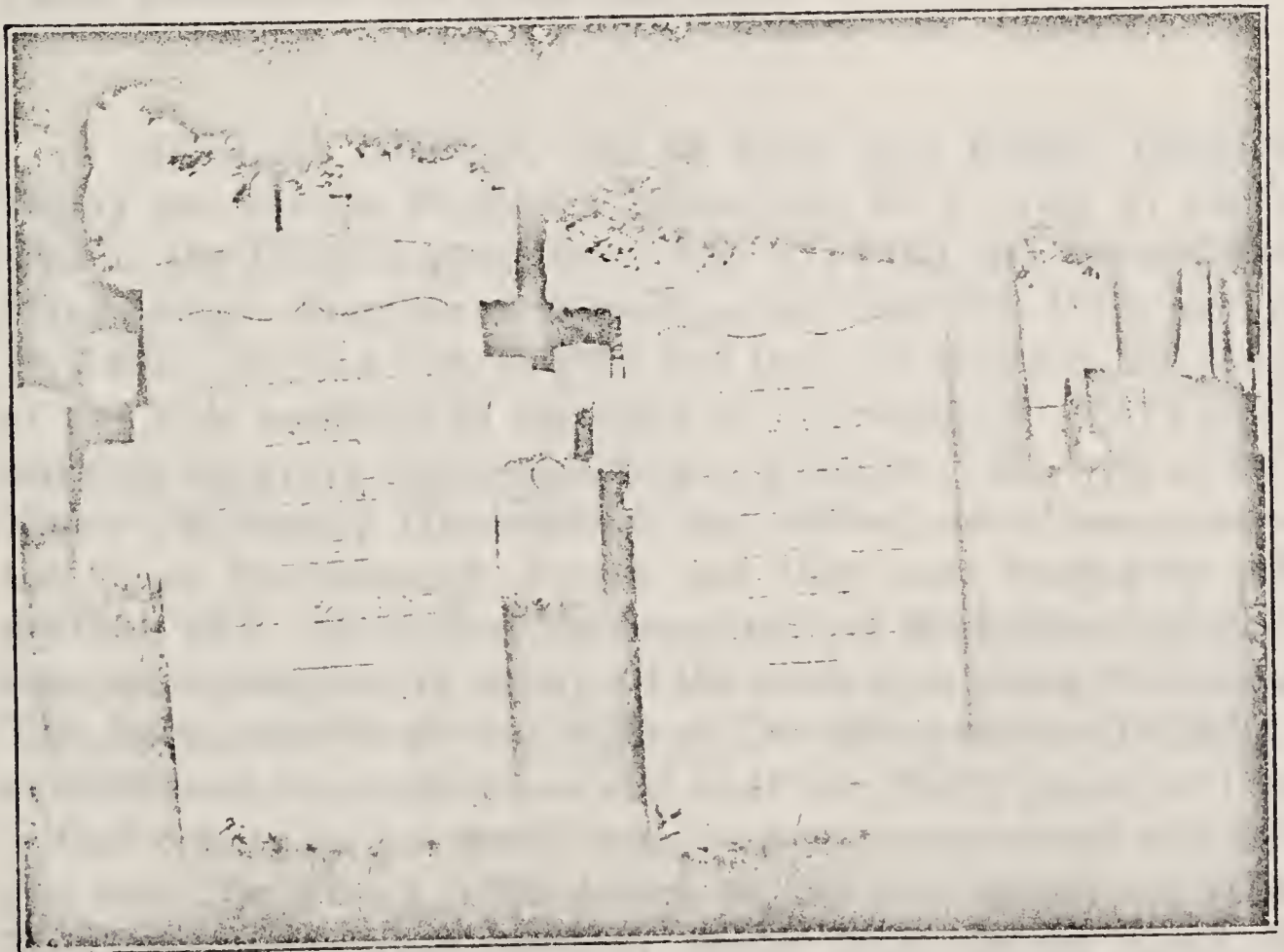
3 MOSES DEPUY (as the name from this time was spelled), son of Moses and Maria (Wynkoop) DuPuis was baptized in Kingston, N. Y., Sep. 27, 1691 and his marriage is recorded in the Dutch Church there as taking place Feb. 14, 1716 to Grietje (Margriet) Schoonmaker and the record states they were both born in Rochester.

3 CATRINA DEPUY, daughter of Moses and Maria (Wynkoop) Dupuis was baptized Nov. 30, 1701 and married May 10, 1722, Benjamin Schoonmaker, baptized April 19, 1702.

See Schoonmaker.



HOME OF ELIAS DEPUY
In Hasbrouck, town of Neversink, New York



GRAVESTONES OF ELIAS DEPUY AND HIS WIFE HELEN BRODHEAD.
Woodbourne, N. Y.

4 ELIAS DEPUY, son of Moses and Margriet (Schoonmaker) Depuy was born in Rochester, Ulster Co., N. Y. according to his marriage record in the Dutch Church at Kingston, N. Y., when on June 6, 1753 he married Rachel Robinson, born in "Shawangunk." This marriage is also recorded in the Dutch Church at Rochester where they had the following children baptized: Moses, Feb. 26, 1754, Elias, Jan. 17, 1756, John, Sep. 2, 1759, Margarieta, July 7, 1761, Elias, July 17, 1763 Sarah, May 25, 1765, Isaiah, Nov. 16, 1766, Josiah, July 31, 1768, Levi born May 12, 1770, baptized June 3, 1770.

His will is filed in New York, dated, Rochester, Ulster Co., March 8, 1775, proven April 18, 1779 in which he gives his wife full use of his estate until the youngest child is of age. He does not mention his son Levi and he may have predeceased his father. He bequeaths his three sons, Moses, John and Elias, the land granted him May 18, 1770 by the Trustees of the town besides his saw mill, etc. To his son Elias his dwelling house and lot. Although he gives his land to the three named sons, they are to pay their brothers Josiah and Isaiah and the daughters nine hundred and twenty-five pounds. His wife, sons Moses and John and his brother-in-law Jacob Hoornbeck were made executors.

5 JOSIAH DEPUY, son of Elias and Rachel (Robinson) Depuy was born in Rochester, Ulster Co., N. Y., July 17 and baptized in the Dutch Church there July 31, 1768 and married Rachel Hardenbergh, daughter of Gerardus, born Dec. 21, 1770, died Aug. 19, 1838. He died Sep. 4, 1856 and they are buried in the old part of the Viele cemetery in the town of Neversink, N. Y. The stone marking his grave states that he was a Major. His wife as heir of Nancy (Reyersen) Hardenbergh, her mother, owned many acres in the Great Hardenbergh Patent and they were frequently selling portions of it. Just what the boundaries of Rochester were has not been ascertained but in nearly all the deeds he is called of Neversink. The destruction of all the Sullivan Co. wills prior to 1876 by fire in 1909 is an irreparable loss and what the elderly people of to-day, in that county do not remit to posterity by manuscript will be forever lost. On Nov. 1, 1826 Josiah and his wife Rachel and Herman M. Hardenbergh (her brother) deeded Elias Depuy (son), land "now in his actual possession." "lot 3, of great lot 3 of the Hardenbergh Patent" (Liber 6 of Deeds at Monticello, N. Y., p. 626), April 24, 1838 Josiah Depuy and wife Rachel "of Fallsburgh, convey to Elias Depuy of the same place, all their right in the Hardenbergh Patent, as heirs of Gerard Hardenbergh." (Liber 15 of Deeds,

Monticello, p. 15). Josiah and Rachel had twin sons baptized in the Dutch Church at Rochester, Ulster Co., Feb. 10, 1806. They were named Cornelius Wynkoop and Peter Ten Eyck, born Feb. 3, 1806.

The town of Neversink was incorporated in 1798 and Josiah Depuy "a worthy patriot" was made its Town clerk. In 1826 Fallsburgh was taken from Thompson and Neversink and at its first Town meeting he was appointed Overseer of the Poor.

Josiah Depuy in 1803 was Capt. of the Ulster Co. Militia. In 1809 Major Commandant and from 1811 to 1815 inclusive the company is listed as Major Josiah Depuy's Battalion of Infantry (Council of Appointments. Military Rolls 1784-1821, pp. 683, 1093, 1235, 1360, 1406, 1553, 1614).

6 ELIAS DEPUY, son of Josiah and Rachel (Hardenbergh) Depuy was born Jan. 16, 1790 and died Nov. 12, 1867. He married Helen born April 14, 1800, died May 9, 1868, daughter of Charles and Antje (Schoonmaker) Brodhead. They are buried close by the Reformed Dutch Church in Woodbourne, Sullivan Co., N. Y. and their gravestones are in a good state of preservation. Through her grandmother on her father's side she also had an interest in the remaining land of the Hardenbergh Patent.

Having no will to determine the children of Elias Depuy, a member of the family supplied them from memory and the accuracy of the number cannot be guaranteed. They were furnished as follows: Cecelia, married Victory Champlin; Jacob; Ten Eyck; Moses, married second ——— Ketchum, a widow, and has a son living in Port Jervis; Harriet, married first a Westbrook, second, a Johnson; Ann, married ——— Knapp; Charles; Helen, married ——— Taylor; Elias; Rachel, married Seneca Dutcher.

7 RACHEL DEPUY, daughter of Elias and Helen (Brodhead) Depuy was born Dec. 18, 1822, died April 7, 1859. She married Seneca Dutcher, born Nov. 15, 1815, died Jan. 25, 1895. They are buried in Liberty, N. Y.

She died in Liberty and the local newspaper commented on her death as follows: "Apr. 7th. Died at Liberty, wife of Seneca Dutcher and daughter of Elias Depuy, aged, 37 years. In recording the above we record a severe bereavement. Mrs. Dutcher was unremittingly devoted to her husband and children. Indeed such was her desire to promote their temporal welfare that she rather succeeded than fell short of her exertions for their good. We trust her end was peace though death came at an unexpected hour, yet she met

it with composure feeling as she expressed it, 'that it was the call of her waiting Master to take her to himself.' "

See Dutcher.

References: Family Letters; Family Notes and Reminiscences; Mrs. Mary O. Potts of Jeffersonville, N. Y., a member of the family; Rochester, Ulster Co. Dutch Church Records, N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 408, Vol. 9, pp. 185-187; Deeds at Monticello, N. Y. Cemeteries at Neversink, Woodburne and Liberty, N. Y.; N. Y. Record, Vol. 32, pp. 77-80; History of Sullivan Co. N. Y., 224, 225, 456, 475; Olde Ulster, Vol. 2, p. 183.

DEYO

Abraham Deyo	m.	————
Mary Deyo	m.	Jacobus Klaarwater
Weyntje Klaarwater	m.	Jacobus (James) Robinson
Rachel Robinson	m.	Elias Depuy
Major Josiah Depuy	m.	Rachel Hardenbergh
Elias Depuy	m.	Helen Brodhead
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 ABRAHAM DEYO owned with Theunis Jacobsen Klaarwater and others in 1709, a patent of 4000 acres of land situated in Shawangunk, bounded east by the Wallkill, south by the Dwaaskill and west by the Shawangunk Kill. He was probably a brother of Christian Deyo who came to New Amsterdam in 1660 and without doubt the Abraham Deyo, named on the moument in New Paltz, N. Y. as one of its patentees.

2 MARY DEYO, daughter of Abraham Deyo, married Jacobus (James) Klaarwater, born in Holland in 1663.

See Klaarwater.

References: Old Ulster, Vol. 1, p. 120.

DEYO

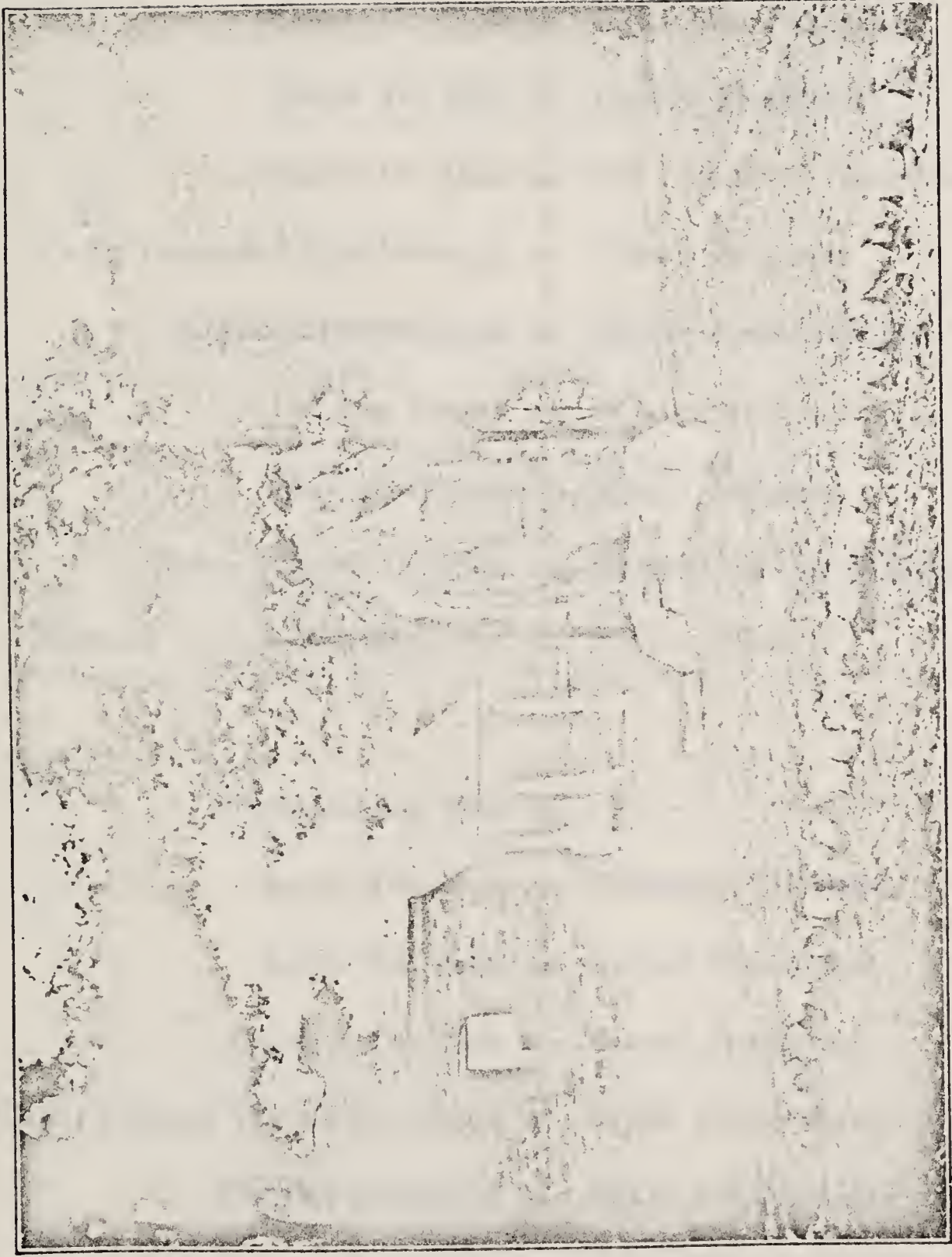
Christian Deyo m. ———
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 Marie Deyo m. Major Abraham Hasbrouck
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 Rachel Hasbrouck m. Louis Du Bois
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 Maria Du Bois m. Col. Johannes Hardenbergh
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 Capt. Gerardus Hardenbergh m. Nancy Reyersen
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 Rachel Hardenbergh m. Major Josiah Depuy
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1 CHRISTIAN DEYO (Du Jou) was born near Calais, France and was one of the French Huguenots who fled to Mannheim, Germany. He and his family sailed in the ship "Gilded Otter" for the new world April 27, 1660 and became residents of Wiltwyck, N. Y. where he, then residing at Hurley, made his will Aug. 10, 1676 which was written in Dutch in which he states his daughter Maria is not married. No wife is mentioned so she probably predeceased him. On Feb. 1, 1687/8 he made another will in which he requests burial at New Paltz, where he was one of the purchasers in 1677 as described under Louis Du Bois. His name may be seen on monument erected in New Paltz in honor of its patentees.

2 MARIA or MARIE DEYO, daughter of Christian Deyo was born in 1653 in Moerstadt, Rhenish Bavaria, Palatinate and married in Hurley, N. Y., Nov. 17, 1676 Abraham Hasbrouck. She died March 27, 1741 in her 88th year.

See Hasbrouck.

References: Ulster Co. Wills, N. Y., Vol. 1, pp. 31, 47; N. Y. Record, Vol. 27, pp. 192, 193.



PATENTEE'S MONUMENT, NEW PALTZ, N. Y.

The tablet bears among its names those of Abraham Deyo, Christian Deyo, Louis Du Bois,
Hugo Freer, Abraham Hasbrouck

DU BOIS

Chrétien Du Bois m. ———
 |
 Louis Du Bois m. Catharine Blançhan
 |
 Louis Du Bois m. Rachel Hasbrouck
 |
 Maria Du Bois m. Col. Johannes Hardenbergh
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Chrétien Du Bois m. ———
 |
 Louis Du Bois m. Catharine Blançhan
 |
 Louis Du Bois m. Rachel Hasbrouck
 |
 Catrina Du Bois m. Wessel Brodhead
 |
 Capt. Charles Wessel Brodhead m. Sarah Hardenbergh
 |
 Charles Brodhead m. Antje Schoonmaker
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1 CHRÉTIEN DU BOIS, born about 1595, was a Huguenot gentleman of the family of Du Bois Seigneurs de Beaufermez and

de Bourse, having an estate at Wieres, on La Bassée, near Lille in French Flanders, now Artois. The mutilated baptismal records at Wieres show that he had at least three sons. Religious persecution induced two of the sons, Louis and Jacques to abandon their country.

The Du Bois family is one of the oldest of the noble houses of Cotentin, in the Duchy of Normandy. The heraldic records at Paris commence with the genealogy of Geoffroi du Bois, a Knight banneret and a companion of Duke William in the conquest of England in 1066.

2 LOUIS DU BOIS, son of Chrétien Du Bois was born in Wieres, France, Oct. 27, 1627 and left that place to settle in Mannheim, Germany where he was thrown into intimate relations with Mathese Blançhan from the vicinity of his former home and with Christian Deyo from Calais, France, like himself, Huguenot refugees. The following record in 1896 was still extant in the old Protestant Evangelical Church at Mannheim: "Louis Du Bois, son of the late Chrétien Du Bois of Wicker, near Bassée of the one part and Catharine Blançhan, daughter of Matthew Blançhan, citizen of Mannheim of the other part, were married in the French Church at Mannheim, the 10th of October, 1655." This was in the French language. He emigrated in the "Gilded Otter," April 27, 1660 and with his wife and two sons reached America and in 1662 took up his residence in what is now Hurley, N. Y., then called New Village.

Louis Du Bois known as Louis, the Walloon with his father-in-law Blançhan were granted by patent considerable tracts of land at Hurley which they occupied until their removal to New Paltz.

History shows that Louis Du Bois never forgot the superiority of his birth and the deference that was paid in the old country to those of gentle blood, therefore he was in many disputes with the military and civil authorities. On June 7, 1663 occurred the Indian Massacre and New Village was entirely destroyed. His wife and three sons, Abraham, Isaac and Jacob were taken prisoners by the Indians and remained captives for three months. The story of the rescuing expedition is one of the most interesting of the episodes in the history of early New York. Louis Du Bois was one of the soldiers and the official report shows that it was due to his reckless intrepidity which hastened the rescue. When approaching the Indian encampment "Louis Du Bois in advance of the others, discovered an Indian within a few feet of him, partly concealed behind a tree. He was in the act of drawing his bow, but from fear

or surprise, missed the string, when Du Bois killed him, without alarm." Capt. Kreiger in his journal of the Esopus War states again under date of Oct. 10, 1663: "Louis, the Walloon went to fetch his oxen and as he was about to drive them home, three Indians intended to seize him. When they jumped from their hiding place and one shot an arrow at him, which gave him a slight wound, Louis, having a piece of palisade in his hand, struck the Indian so that he staggered back and he escaped thro the Kill bringing the news to the fort, whereupon two detachments were despatched to attack them, but they were not found."

After the restoration of peace the Huguenot settlers purchased of the Indians a tract of land on the Wallkill. The deed dated May 26, 1677 was in the Dutch language and in 1896, in perfect condition on file in the office of the Secretary of State at Albany, N. Y. The price paid for the land was 40 kettles, 40 adzes, 40 shirts, 400 fathoms of wampum, 60 pairs of socks, 100 bars of lead, 1 keg of powder, 100 knives, 4 ankers of wine, 40 guns, 60 coats, 60 blankets and 1 schepel of pipes.

In the following Spring they took possession of their grant and established a village which they named "le nouveau Palatinat" now New Paltz, in grateful remembrance of the kindness shown them in their harbor of refuge on the Rhine. This Colony was composed entirely of Frenchmen thoroughly imbued with the stern religious precepts of Calvin and had for their purpose the establishment of a community solely for religious and civil freedom. They had no regular pastor until 1683 when Rev. Pierre Daillic arrived and on Jan. 22nd, proposed that they choose an elder and a deacon, which they did, taking Louis Du Bois for the elder and Hugo Frere for deacon. The French language was used in this church for fifty years, followed by the Dutch for seventy years since which time the records are in English.

Louis Du Bois remained in New Paltz but ten years when he took up his residence in Kingston where he purchased a home on what is now the northwest corner of East Front and John Streets, where he died in June, 1696, his will being dated on the 23rd of that month. He served as Magistrate here, in 1673. His widow survived him ten years and they are doubtless buried in the cemetery surrounding the old Dutch Church but no stones to their memory are now in existence in that place.

During his residence in Hurley he was an Overseer of the town and a Justice of the Peace, and was prominent in the meeting at Esopus against the tyranny of Capt. Brödehead.

His name is on the monument in New Paltz erected to the Patentees of that place.

3 LOUIS DU BOIS, son of Louis and Catharine (Blançhan) Du Bois was born in 1677 and married in Kingston, N. Y., Jan. 19, 1701, Rachel Hasbrouck who died before 1717, daughter of Abraham and Maria (Deyo) Hasbrouck.

4 CATRINA DU BOIS, daughter of Louis and Rachel (Hasbrouck) Du Bois was born in New Paltz, N. Y., Oct. 31, 1715 and married there, Jan. 25, 1734, Wessel, son of Capt. Charles Brodhead, baptized New Paltz, Jan. 21, 1703.

See Brodhead.

4 MARIA DU BOIS, daughter of Louis and Rachel (Hasbrouck) Du Bois was born March 2, 1705, baptized March 24, 1706 and married Dec. 6, 1728, Col. Johannes Hardenbergh.

See Hardenbergh.

References: N. Y. Record, Vol. 27, pp. 190-194, Vol. 28, pp. 13-16; Ulster Co., N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, pp. 34, 35; New Paltz Dutch Church Records.

FONTEYN—VAN TINE

Charles Fonteyn	m.	Katrina Baaly
Johannes Fonteyn	m.	Catrina Cornell
Sergt. William Fonteyn	m.	Kniertje Wiltsie
Margrietie Fonteyn	m.	David Dutcher
David Dutcher	m.	Ellen Romer
Seneca Dutcher	m.	Rachel Depuy
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1 CHARLES (CAREL) FONTEYN, a Frenchman came to New Amsterdam in the ship "Gilded Beaver" in 1657 and was of Bushwick, L. I. in 1661 where in 1663 he was listed among the soldiers of that town. He married Katrina Baaly (Bailey) whose

ancestry has not been found, and they made a joint will Aug. 1, 1687. There is some evidence to believe her family may have been French. Most of the descendants of the Fonteyn family living to-day spell their name Van Tine thus indicating probably the true pronunciation of Fonteyn. His will is filed in the first book of Deeds in Brooklyn.

2 JOHANNES FONTEYN, son of Charles and Katrina (Baaly) Fonteyn, married Catrina Willemse Cornell. Their betrothal dated Jan. 1, 1690 is recorded in the First Reformed Dutch Church of Flatbush, L. I., and they married Aug. 27, 1690. His first wife was Reymerighie Symonse Van Nostrand who died in 1689 leaving a young son Charles. He and wife Catharine sold their property in Bushwick, on the south side next to the Church, Jan. 15, 1697/8, probably preparatory to their removal to Fishkill.

3 WILLIAM FONTEYN, son of Johannes and Catrina (Willemse) Fonteyn married in Fishkill, N. Y., Nov. 29, 1741/2, Kniertie Wiltsie, baptized Jamaica, L. I., March 11, 1723. He served in the Revolutionary War as Sergt. under Col. Brinckerhoff, his name being recorded as Vantine. (N. Y. in Revolution, 2nd Edition by Roberts, p. 138; Col. Hist. of N. Y. by Fernow, p. 502.)

4 MARGRIETIE FONTEYN, daughter of William and Kniertie (Willemse) Fonteyn, married David Dutcher, born Sep. 14, 1740.

See Dutcher.

References: Records of First Reformed Dutch Church of Flatbush, L. I.; Early Settlers of Kings Co., N. Y., p. 74; N. Y. Record, Vol. 9, p. 94, Vol. 45, pp. 244, 303, Vol. 47, p. 166; Records of Fishkill Dutch Church, Marriages, p. 1.

FREER

Hugo Freer m. Marie Haye
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 Abraham Freer m. Aegje Tietsoort
 |
 Aegje Freer m. David de Duyscher
 |
 David Dutcher m. Margrietie Fonteyn
 |
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1 HUGO FREER came to the New Netherlands about 1665 and immediately went to Kingston, N. Y. where there was a large Huguenot settlement. He soon, however, removed to New Paltz where on Jan. 4, 1697, he made his will in French. The earliest records concerning him are contained in the Paltz church register as follows: "Jan. 22, 1683. Mr. Pierre Daillie, Minister of the Word of God, arrived at New Paltz, preached twice on the Sunday following, and proposed, at a social gathering of the families to elect by a majority of votes of the heads of families, an elder and a deacon. This was done and the following named were elected, Louis Dubois, as elder and Hughe Frere, as Deacon," who were afterwards installed in their office. "Dec. 8, 1693. The wife of Hugue Frere died in the Lord."

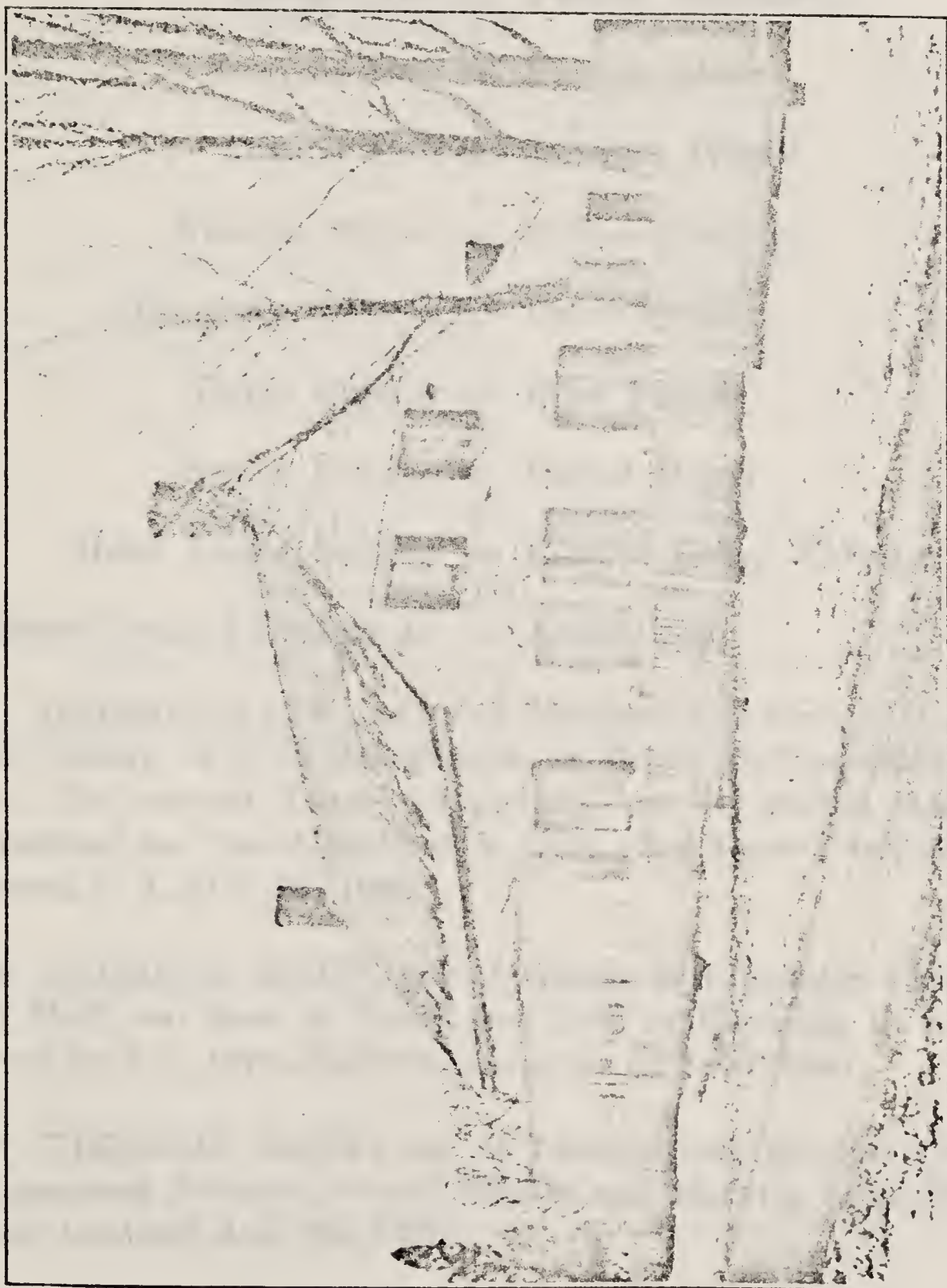
He married first Marie Haye, second Jannetje Wibau. His name is on the monument in New Paltz, erected in memory of its Patentees.

2 ABRAHAM FREER, son of Hugo and Marie (Haye) Freer was born in 1670 and married in New Paltz, N. Y., April 28, 1694, Aeche, (Aegje), daughter of Willem Tietsoort.

3 AEGJE (AGATHA) FREER, daughter of Abraham and Aeche (Aegje) (Tietsoort) Freer was baptized in the Dutch Church at Kingston, N. Y., April 11, 1714, and married David Dutcher, baptized March 27, 1715.

See Dutcher.

References: N. Y. Record, Vol. 33, pp. 31-36; Dutch Church Records, New Paltz and Kingston, N. Y.



FREEER HOMESTEAD

HAFF

George Haff m. Teuntje Straetsman
 |
 Laurens Haff m. Kniertie Meet
 |
 Teuntje Haff m. Johannis Wiltsie
 |
 Kniertje Wiltsie m. William Fonteyn
 |
 Margrietie Fonteyn m. David Dutcher
 |
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1 GEORGE HAFF was in his lifetime a field trumpeter in the Dutch Colony of Fort Margarietie in Brazil and probably died there. He married Teuntje Straetsman as her second husband. She married her fourth husband in 1657 (See Meyer) and died at Gowanus, L. I., Oct. 19, 1662.

2 LAURENS HAFF, son of George and Teuntje (Straetsman) Haff, was born in Brazil and lived in Flushing, L. I. He married July 5, 1676, Kniertie, daughter of Peter Meet.

3 TEUNTJE HAFF, son of Laurens and Kniertie (Meet) Haff, married Johannis, son of Martin and Marytje (Van Wyck) Wiltsie, baptized Aug. 25, 1695.

See Wiltsie.

References: History of Newtown, L. I.; Bergen Genealogy; Van Wyck Genealogy; History of Harlem, N. Y.

HARDENBERGH

Jan Van Hardenbergh m. ———
 |
 Capt. Gerrit Jans Hardenbergh m. Jobie Schepmoes
 |
 Col. Johannes Hardenbergh m. Catharine Rutsen
 |
 Col. Johannes Hardenbergh m. Maria Du Bois
 |
 Capt. Gerardus Hardenbergh m. Nancy Reyerscn
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1 JAN VAN HARDENBERGH came to America from Holland previous to 1644 and owned in 1652, "a house, lot and garden,

fenced, built on and bounded" on the northwest corner of what is now Broad and Stone Streets, New York City. His wife, name not known, pre-deceased him and he died before April 30, 1659.

2 GERRIT JANS HARDENBERGH, son of Jan Van Hardenbergh came to New Amsterdam from Naarden near Utrecht in Holland and was living in Albany in 1667. He married Jobie (Jaepie-Jane) Schepmoes, baptized in New Amsterdam, Jan. 6, 1647. In 1690 he owned the sloop "Royal Albany." In 1678 he and his wife made a joint will leaving their property to each other. In 1669 he purchased a lot in Albany on Chapel Street and Maiden Lane and another on Maiden Lane between North Pearl and Chapel Streets in 1672. He was living in 1696 but the date of his death has not been found.

His sloop with himself as Commander was commissioned to war against the French in Canada as per the following letter:

"To Captain Gerrit Hardenbergh, Commander of the sloop "Royal Albany": Greeting,

"Reposing great trust and confidence in the prudence and courage and ability of you the said Captain Gerrit Hardenbergh, as well in military, as maritime affairs, I do hereby constitute and appoint you to be Captain of said sloop and to take the care and charge of the same with all the men that now do or hereafter shall belong unto the said sloop, requiring them to be obedient unto you; with all, ordering you to obey all such orders as you shall from time to time receive from me and others, your superior officers, hereby commissioning and empowering you with the said sloop and company forthwith to sail for Quebec, in Canada, to war as to your wisdom may seem meet, and to assault, attack, destroy as much as in you lies and to oppose and destruction bring all or any that shall defend or assist the French interest, as well as in your journey to Canada and return upon the bank, or elsewhere you can meet any, to take, seize and make prize of all goods, on shore on vessels at sea, belonging to the French King or any inhabitants under his government, as also all Frenchmen themselves, to take, slay, kill or save alive, and to injure them in what you possibly can; commanding you to bring all vessels and goods that you shall take from them to this, your commission port, for condemnation. And for your so acting therein this shall be your sufficient commission. Given etc. this 19th day of May, 1690 in New York."

(Signed) JACOB LEISLER.

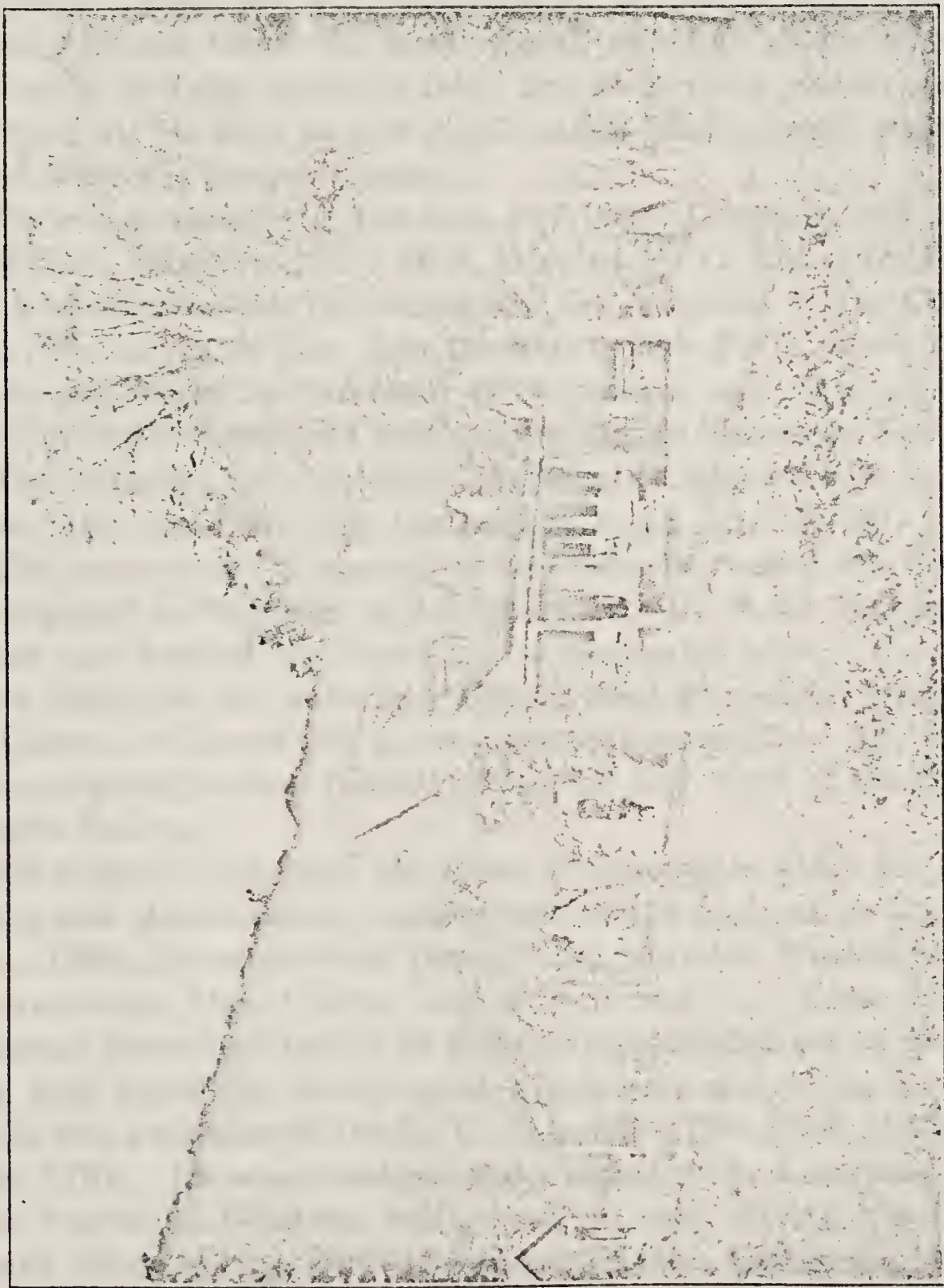
3 JOHANNES HARDENBERGH, son of Gerrit Jans and Jobie (Schepmoes) Hardenbergh was probably born in Albany,

N. Y. in 1670, but early in life became a resident of Kingston, Ulster Co., N. Y., becoming a merchant in that place. He married there first in 1696, Hillegonde Myers and second on Dec. 5, 1699, Catharine Rutsen, baptized in Albany, Oct. 14, 1676. He with Leonard Lewis, Phillip Rokeby, William Nottingham, Benjamin Fanuiel, Peter Fauconnier and Robert Lurting on March 22, 1707 purchased a tract of land in Ulster Co. from the Indians containing about two million acres and a patent for it known as the Hardenbergh Patent was granted by Queen Anne, April 20, 1708 in which they were to pay rent for same at the customs house in New York yearly, amounting to three pounds money of the Province of New York. Shortly after there was an eighth partner, Augustine Graham, Surveyor-General of the Province. At that time it was all in Ulster Co., but to-day about one-half of it is in Delaware Co., about one-quarter in Greene Co. and a large tract in Sullivan Co. Before 1749 several had sold their rights or were deceased and in that year Johannes Hardenbergh, Jr., Charles Brodhead and Abraham Hardenbergh together owned two-sixteenths of the whole. In 1713 Johannes Hardenbergh was Major of the Ulster Co. Troops and later Colonel and is known in the town and county records as Col. Hardenbergh as was also his noted son Johannes. He became High Sheriff of Ulster Co. in 1690 and was serving as such in 1713 and as Major, 1739. He made his will April 17, 1745 naming his wife Catharine and sons Johannes and Abraham with son-in-law Charles Brodhead, executors. How soon after he died, has not been found as no date of probate was given. He styled himself as a gentleman and signed it "Hardenbergh" only, as he believed that he was a nobleman. (Ulster Co. Wills, Vol. 2, pp. 139, 140.)

In a deed in Liber E. E. p. 130 at Kingston, N. Y., dated Nov. 9, 1748, his wife Catharine states she is a widow and with sons Abraham and Johannes conveys property to her son-in-law Charles Brodhead. This deed shows that Major Johannes did not live long after the date of his will.

4 JOHANNES HARDENBERGH, son of Col. Johannes and Catharine (Rutsen) Hardenbergh was born June 1, 1706 and baptized in Kingston, N. Y., July 28, 1706. He settled at Rosendale where he died Aug. 20, 1786. On Dec. 6, 1728 he married in Kingston, Maria, baptized there March 24, 1706, daughter of Louis and Rachel (Hasbrouck) Du Bois.

He made his will Feb. 19, 1782 as a resident of Rosendale, Hurley, Ulster Co., N. Y., which was proven Sep. 20, 1786. As his wife is not mentioned she probably predeceased him. In this will he mentions many lots in the Hardenbergh Patent which he owned,



HOME OF COL. JOHANNES HARDENBERGH

among them one of ten thousand acres which he sold to Charles Brodhead.

He also mentions another tract of thirty-one thousand acres sold to Charles Brodhead and one-fifth of his thousands of acres he left to his grandchildren, "the children of Nancy Reyersen" thus ignoring his son Gerardus, her husband, although all his other children were liberally provided for. She had eleven children and he left them all his land in Lot No. 3 called "Shokakena" which contained sixty-five thousand acres.

He was a member of the first Provincial Congress held in New York City, May 29, 1775. (Col. Hist. of N. Y., Vol. 1 by Fernow, p. 3.) In Ulster Co. the convention for delegates to the Congress met at the tavern of Mrs. Ann Du Bois in New Paltz, April 7, 1775 and he was chosen its Chairman at 70 years of age. The old tavern was standing in 1908 just south of the Dutch Church in New Paltz. He also attended as a delegate, the fourth Congress held in White Plains, July 9, 1776 (Olde Ulster, Vol. 4, pp. 15, 75, 76).

For many years Joannes (as he wrote his name) Hardenbergh was engaged in litigation in defending the title of the Hardenbergh Patent and carried the contest to a successful issue. He was an active Elder in the Reformed Church and frequently represented the Church of New Paltz in ecclesiastical assemblies. He was one of the original trustees from the State of New York of Queens, now Rutgers College.

He evidently inherited the home at Rosendale which his grandfather, Col. Jacob Rutsen resided in when he died and in it, during June, 1783, he entertained George and Martha Washington and Governor and Mrs. Clinton and it was near this house that the American Army had halted on their way to the defense of Kingston when they heard the British guns which were destroying the place.

He was a member of the N. Y. Assembly 1737-1743, 1745-1747, 1750, 1751. He was commissioned Colonel while a member of the First Provincial Congress and served as such during the Revolutionary War in the First Regiment of the Ulster Co. Troops (D. A. R. Lineage Books, Vol. 6. p. 80, Vol. 11, p. 50). N. Y. in the Revolution by Roberts, p. 218, states he served 1775-1782.

4 ABRAHAM HARDENBERGH, son of Col. Johannes and Catharine (Rutsen) Hardenbergh was baptized in Kingston, N. Y., Jan. 7, 1711 and married there Mary Roosa, baptized Feb. 26, 1721, daughter of Nicholas and Sarah (Rutsen) Roosa. He married second June 1, 1752, Mary, daughter of Joseph Hasbrouck. He made his will, which is filed in New York City, Sep. 22, 1771 which was proven March 14, 1772. At the time of its making he resided

in Guilford, Ulster Co., N. Y. and his wife was living. Besides the usual allotment to her at that time he also gave her his slaves, a man and woman. He mentions when he bequeaths his farm to his eldest son Johannes, a tract of land of two thousand acres known as the Guilford Patent in which he had an interest and also two tracts adjoining land formerly granted to Jacob Rutsen as "the same was in the possession of my late father-in-law Nicholas Roosa and Sarah his wife, as the same was devised to said Sarah by Jacob Rutsen, her father." He bequeathed his "daughter Sarah, wife of Charles W. Brodhead part of the two tracts formerly granted Col. Jacob Rutsen." He was one of the great land owners of Ulster Co. through his father and his wife.

5 GERARDUS HARDENBERGH, son of Col. Johannes and Maria (Du Bois) Hardenbergh was born in Rosendale, 1744 and baptized in the Dutch Church at Kingston, N. Y., June 17 of that year. On April 28, 1766 he married Nancy Reyersen, born at Readington, N. J., Nov. 29, 1743. He was one of the bravest patriots of the Revolutionary War and raised two companies of infantry and at the Indian raid on Warwarsing in 1781, he with only nine men, taking refuge in an old stone house, checked the savages and thus saved the town from annihilation. His wife died before his father and the latter left his share of the tremendous landed estate to the children of Gerardus even omitting his name in the will, which so enraged him that he became unbearable to his family and his friends and so engendered the enmity of the settlers in the Neversink Valley by still claiming the land, that he was finally shot by a lurking assassin in Nov., 1808, near the site of the Reformed Dutch Church in Woodbourne, now Sullivan Co., N. Y., close by the spot where his granddaughter Helen (Brodhead) Depuy lies buried. The descendants still residing in the neighborhood claim he never knew he was shot but thought he was thrown from his horse. His son Thomas R. was his administrator as he had come into the ownership of land through the death of some of his children and probably his wife. Her date of death has not been found.

In the Revolutionary War he was Capt. of the Ulster Co. Troops 1776 (D. A. R. Lineage Books, Vol. 7, p. 95). Was re-appointed Capt., May 28, 1778 (N. Y. in the Revolution by Roberts, p. 298).

5 SARAH HARDENBERGH, daughter of Abraham and Mary (Roosa) Hardenbergh was baptized in Kingston, N. Y., June 16, 1745 and was living Jan. 5, 1784 as the wife of Charles Wessel Brodhead when her grandfather Col. Johannes Hardenbergh gave

her and her husband, a very large tract of land. This deed was not recorded until May 1, 1852.

See Brodhead.

6 RACHEL HARDENBERGH, daughter of Capt. Gerardus and Nancy (Reyersen) Hardenbergh was born Dec. 21, 1770 and died Aug. 19, 1838 as the wife of Major Josiah Depuy. They are buried in the Viele Cemetery in the town of Neversink, N. Y.

See Depuy.

References: Ulster Co., N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, pp. 42, 43, 87, Vol. 2, pp. 117, 125, 139, 140; First Settlers of Albany, p. 59; N. Y. Wills, Vol. 8, pp. 32-34, Vol. 14, pp. 68-70; N. Y. Record, Vol. 23, p. 218; Colonial Dames of N. Y., 1913; Olde Ulster, Vol. 4, p. 190, Vol. 6, p. 130, Vol. 10, p. 330; Kingston Dutch Church Records; D. A. R. Lineage Books, Vol. 6, p. 80, Vol. 7, p. 95, Vol. 11, p. 50, Vol. 26, p. 187; Deeds at Monticello, N. Y., Liber 29, p. 532, Liber 1, p. 118; Ruttenber's Indian Tribes of the Hudson River; Colonial History of N. Y. by Fernow, Vol. 1, p. 3; Ancestral Tablets, pp. 79-105.

HASBROUCK

Major Abraham Hasbrouck	m.	Marie Deyo
Rachel Hasbrouck	m.	Louis Du Bois
Catrina Du Bois	m.	Wessel Brodhead
Capt. Charles Wessel Brodhead	m.	Sarah Hardenbergh
Charles Brodhead	m.	Antje Schoonmaker
Helen Brodhead	m.	Elias Depuy
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

HASBROUCK—*Continued*

Major Abraham Hasbrouck m. Marie Deyo

Rachel Hasbrouck m. Louis Du Bois

Maria Du Bois m. Col. Johannes Hardenbergh

Capt. Gerardus Hardenbergh m. Nancy Reyersen

Rachel Hardenbergh m. Major Josiah Depuy

Elias Depuy m. Helen Brodhead

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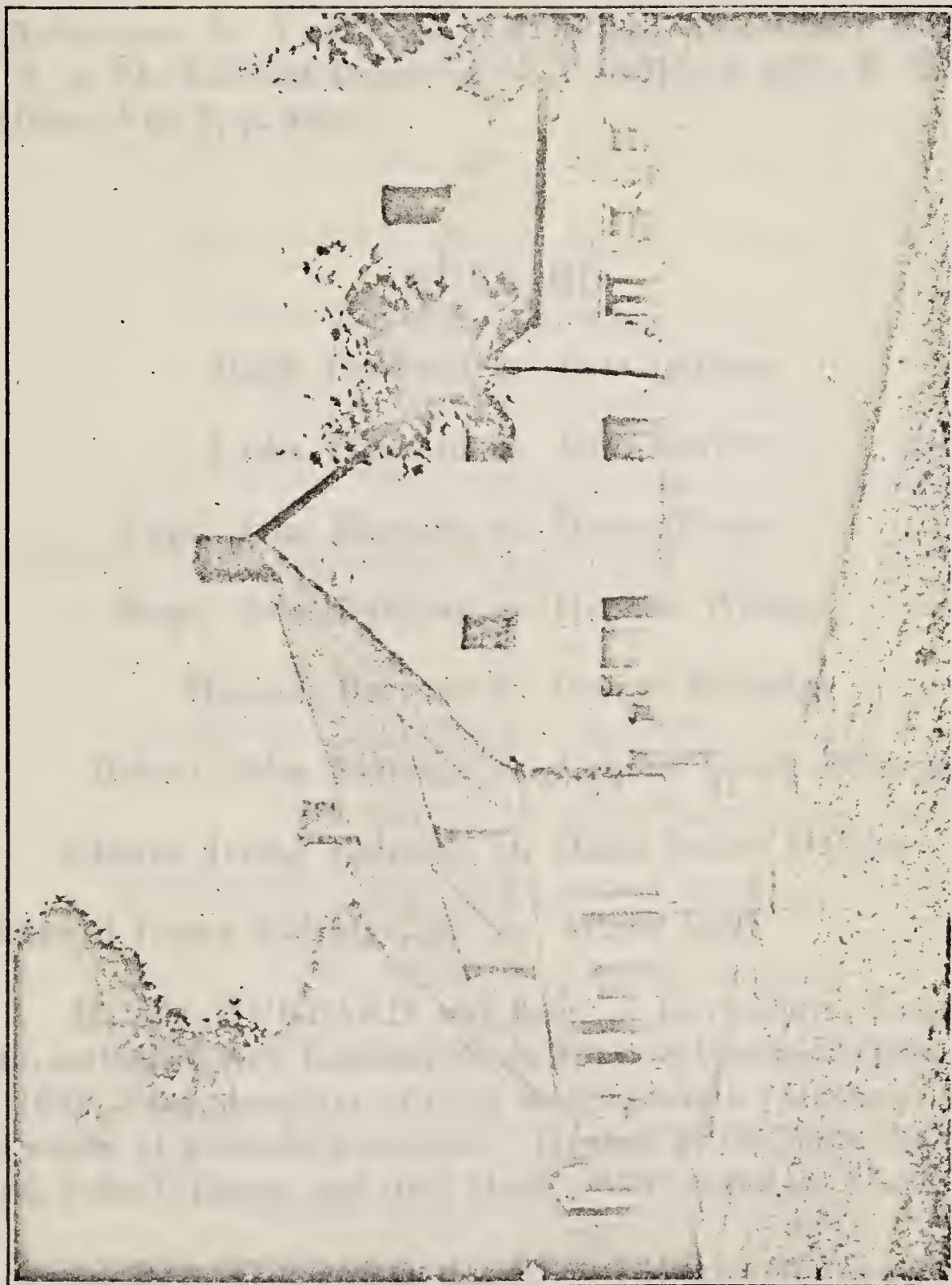
Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge

Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 ABRAHAM HASBROUCK was born in Calais, France, of which place his father was a native. Driven out of France by religious troubles and persecutions, the father with two sons and a daughter fled to Mannheim, Germany, in the Lower Palatinate, where they resided for several years. Abraham left Mannheim and took up his residence in Holland and in April, 1675 sailed for the new world, landing at Boston, Mass., but proceeded at once to New Amsterdam and thence to Esopus which place he reached in July, 1675 where his brother Jean had already located. He married in Hurley, Nov. 17, 1675, Marie, daughter of Christian Deyo, whom he had known in the old country. In 1677 he and his brother with others obtained from Governor Andros a large tract of land in Ulster County, south of Kingston "and the said Abraham Hasbrouck and his associates assembled together in the New Paltz and became and formed themselves into a congregation by the name of the Walloon Protestant Church, and had service in the French language for a half century," but later, in Dutch, the universal language.

Abraham Hasbrouck was a member of the New York Assembly, 1698-1701, Lieutenant of Foot, 1685, Captain, 1689 and Major of the Ulster County Troops, Province of New York. He died of apoplexy, Sunday, March 17, 1717 and his wife died March 27, 1741, aged 88 years. His name is on the monument in New Paltz, erected to the memory of its Patentees.

2 RACHEL HASBROUCK, daughter of Abraham and Marie (Deyo) Hasbrouck was baptized in the Dutch Church at New Am-



ABRAHAM HASBROUCK HOMESTEAD

sterdam, May 12, 1680 and married in Kingston, N. Y., Jan. 19, 1701, Louis Du Bois. She died before 1717.

See Du Bois.

References: N. Y. Record, Vol. 17, p. 261; Ulster Co. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 91; Colonial Dames of N. Y., 1913, p. 321; N. Y. Dutch Baptisms, Vol. 1, p. 142.

HUBBARD

Hugh Hubbard m. Jane Latham
 |
 Lydia Hubbard m. John Burrows
 |
 Capt. John Burrows m. Desire Packer
 |
 Sergt. John Burrows m. Hannah Wilbur
 |
 Hannah Burrows m. George Eldredge
 |
 Robert Niles Eldredge m. Melinna Louise Johnson
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge m. Helen Louise Dutcher
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 HUGH HUBBARD was born in Dorsetshire, Eng., about 1640, settled in New London, Ct. in 1670 and married there, March 18, 1673, Jane, daughter of Cary and Elizabeth (Masters) Latham and widow of Edmond Lockwood. He died in 1685 and she married third, John Williams and died May 3, 1739, aged 91 years.

2 LYDIA HUBBARD, daughter of Hugh and Jane (Latham) Hubbard, was born in New London, Ct., Feb. 3, 1675 and married there, Oct. 14, 1700, John Burrows who died in Groton, Ct., May 26, 1752.

See Burrows.

References: Hubbard Genealogy, p. 47; New London Vitals in Deed Book, No. 4, p. 320.

HUSSEY

Frederick Hussey m. Margaret ———
 |
 Anna Hussey m. Capt. Jochem Schoonmaker
 |
 Benjamin Schoonmaker m. Catrina Depuy
 |
 Corneluis Schoonmaker m. Helena Bassett
 |
 Antje Schoonmaker m. Charles Brodhead
 |
 Helen Brodhead m. Elias Depuy
 |
 Rachel Depuy m. Seneca Dutcher
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

Frederick Hussey m. Margaret ———
 |
 Anna Hussey m. Capt. Jochem Schoonmaker
 |
 Margriet Schoonmaker m. Moses Depuy
 |
 Elias Depuy m. Rachel Robinson
 |
 Major Josiah Depuy m. Rachel Hardenbergh
 |
 Elias Depuy m. Helen Brodhead
 |
 Rachel Depuy m. Seneca Dutcher
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
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1 FREDERICK HUSSEY and wife Margaret, appear in the records of the Dutch Church at Kingston, N. Y. in 1665 but nothing has been found concerning their ancestry. On Aug. 23, 1682 he with others requested permission from the Court at Kingston to purchase land of the Indians and it was granted, but where, has not been ascertained.

2 ANNA HUSSEY, daughter of Frederick and Margaret Hussey, was baptized in Kingston, N. Y., June 27, 1670 and married Jochem Schoonmaker April 28, 1689.

See Schoonmaker.

References: Olde Ulster, Vol. 2. p. 301; Schoonmaker Genealogy; Dutch Church Records, Kingston, N. Y., pp. 5, 7.

KLAARWATER

Theunis Jacobsen Klaarwater m. Marritje Hanse
 |
 Jacobous Klaarwater m. Mary Deyo
 |
 Weyntje Klaarwater m. Jacobus (James) Robinson
 |
 Rachel Robinson m. Elias Depuy
 |
 Major Josiah Depuy m. Rachel Hardenbergh
 |
 Elias Depuy m. Helen Brodhead
 |
 Rachel Depuy m. Seneca Dutcher
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 THEUNIS JACOBSEN KLAARWATER was born at Baarn, near Rotterdam, Holland, in 1624 and had with his son Jacobus and others a patent of 4000 acres of land located in Shawangunk, bounded east by the Wallkill. He married Marritje Hanse of whom nothing has been found. A tablet to his memory has been erected in the Dutch Reformed Church at Kingston, N. Y.

2 JACOBUS KLAARWATER, son of Theunis Jacobsen Klaarwater was born in Holland, 1663 and married in 1698, Mary, daughter of Abraham Deyo. This marriage was the first to take place between a Dutch man and a French girl, in this territory.

3 WEYNTJE KLAARWATER, daughter of Jacobus and

Mary (Deyo) Klaarwater, married in Kingston, N. Y., March 2, 1712, James Robinson, an Englishman.

See Robinson.

References: Ulster Co. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 163.

LANGEDYCK

Jan Jansen Langedyck	m.	_____
Maria Langedyck	m.	Cornelius Wynkoop
Maria Wynkoop	m.	Moses Depuis
Moses Depuy	m.	Margriet Schoonmaker
Elias Depuy	m.	Rachel Robinson
Major Josiah Depuy	m.	Rachel Hardenbergh
Elias Depuy	m.	Helen Brodhead
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 JAN JANSEN LANGEDYCK is first mentioned when he entered into an agreement, Sep. 6, 1649, with the agents of the Patroon of Staten Island. In 1652 he leased a farm from Jan Van Rotterdam in New Amsterdam and had land of his own there in 1658. In 1657 he was listed among the Burgers of that place. He married Grietie Wessels (probably his second wife) and on April 13, 1678 they made a joint will agreeing that their estate should go to the survivor of the two. He was living in 1685 as he witnessed a will that year. She married second, Sep. 16, 1691, Enoch Michielszen Vreelant, widower, of New Jersey and died in Bergen, N. J., Nov. 20, 1697.

2 MARIA LANGEDYCK, daughter of Jan Jansen Langedyck, and his first wife, married Cornelius Wynkoop and died about 1679. In her deposition May 16, 1679 in Ulster Co. Wills she bequeathed her eldest daughter "a painted ward-robe, red skirt, a

silver bell and chain, two silver spoons, all the silver money, a gold ring, etc." There is no date of probate and the daughter is not named but she was probably Maria.

See Wynkoop.

References: N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 473, Vol. 2, p. 402; N. Y. Dutch Marriages, p. 70; N. Y. Dutch Mss., pp. 50, 125, 385; Old Ulster, Vol. 1, p. 57; New Netherlands Register, p. 181; Hudson Co., N. J. Land Titles, p. 419.

LATHAM

Nicholas Latham	m.	Elizabeth Newman
Cary Latham	m.	Elizabeth Masters
Jane Latham	m.	Hugh Hubbard
Lydia Hubbard	m.	John Burrows
Capt. John Burrows	m.	Desire Packer
Sergt. John Burrows	m.	Hannah Wilbur
Hannah Burrows	m.	George Eldredge
Robert Niles Eldredge	m.	Melinna Louise Johnson
Edward Irving Eldredge	m.	Helen Louise Dutcher
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 NICHOLAS LATHAM married in Aldenham, Co. Herts, England, April 3, 1604, Elizabeth, baptized there April 15, 1579, daughter of William and Alice (Wrench) Newman who were married in the same place June 18, 1571.

2 CARY LATHAM, son of Nicholas and Elizabeth (Newman) Latham, was baptized at Aldenham, Co. Herts, Eng., Nov. 10, 1613 and emigrated to New England, living in Cambridge, Mass. as early as 1642. He removed to New London, Ct., where in 1654 he was awarded the lease and monopoly of the ferry over the Pequot River (now Thames River) for fifty years from March 25, 1655 and as lessee of that ferry he was the first to reside at Groton Bank. He

served as Selectman for sixteen years and as Deputy to the General Court six times from May, 1664 to 1670 and died in 1685. He married Elizabeth, daughter of John and Jane Masters.

3 JANE LATHAM, daughter of Cary and Elizabeth (Masters) Latham, married March 18, 1673, Hugh Hubbard, she being at that time the widow of Edmund Lockwood. Hugh Hubbard died in 1685 and she married third, John Williams and died May 3, 1739, aged 91 years.

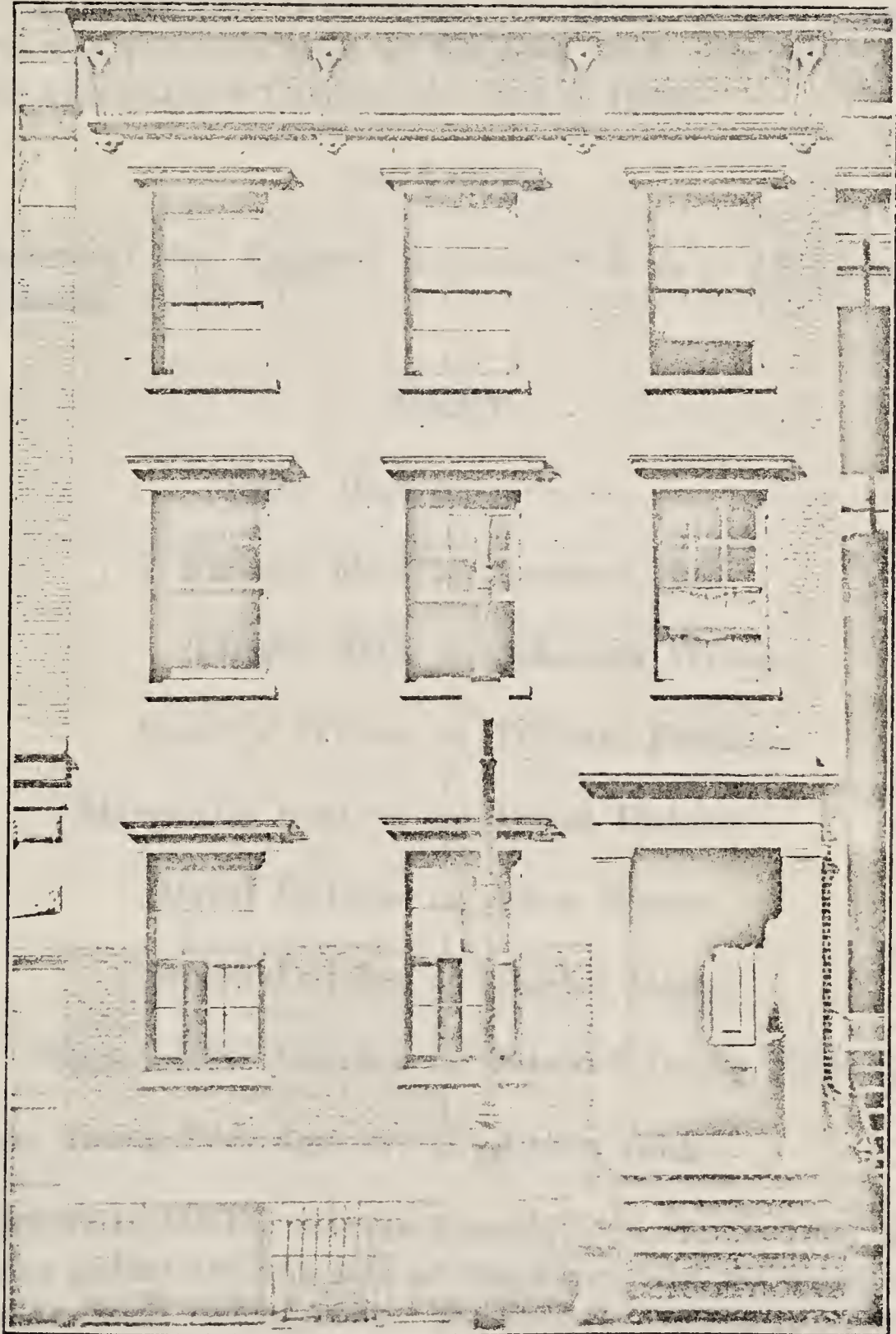
See Hubbard.

References: New England Register, Vol. 61, p. 385; History of New London Co., Conn., p. 479; Hubbard Genealogy, p. 47; Savage.

MASTERS

John Masters	m.	Jane ———
Elizabeth Masters	m.	Cary Latham
Jane Latham	m.	Hugh Hubbard
Lydia Hubard	m.	John Burrows
Capt. John Burrows	m.	Desire Packer
Sergt. John Burrows	m.	Hannah Wilbur
Hannah Burrows	m.	George Eldredge
Robert Niles Eldredge	m.	Melinna Louise Johnson
Edward Irving Eldredge	m.	Helen Louise Dutcher
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 JOHN MASTERS was admitted freeman of Watertown, Mass., 1631, being perhaps a resident of Cambridge at that time where he was one of the proprietors and where he died 21st of 10th mo., 1639. He married Jane, maiden name not known who died there 10th of 10th mo., 1639. Cambridge records show that he resided in the west end of the town, and his home there at his death, came into possession of Cary Latham, his son-in-law who sold it in 1646 to Thomas Crosby and removed to New London, Ct. This



BIRTHPLACE OF EDWARD IRVING ELDREDGE, SR.
129 Bank St., New York City

property is now on the west side of Ash St. near Brattle St., Cambridge. He served as Deputy to the General Court in 1632.

2 ELIZABETH MASTERS, daughter of John and Jane Masters, was probably born in England, date not known, and became the wife of Cary Latham who died in 1685.

See Latham.

References: New England Register, Vol. 4, p. 181, Vol. 45, p. 192; Farmer.

MEET

Peter Meet m.	_____
Kniertie Meet m.	Laurens Haff
Teuntje Haff m.	Johannis Wiltsie
Kniertje Wiltsie m.	William Fonteyn
Margrietie Fonteyn m.	David Dutcher
David Dutcher m.	Ellen Romer
Seneca Dutcher m.	Rachel Depuy
Helen Louise Dutcher m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m.	Althea Gibb

1 PETER MEET was in Brooklyn, N. Y. in 1667 when he obtained a patent for two lots at the Ferry and his name appears on the assessment roll of 1683. He removed to Hackensack, N. J. The name of his first wife is not known but he married second in Hackensack, N. J., July 3, 1689, Gerritie, daughter of Yellis Jansen de Mandeville and died before July 24, 1699 when she married Increase Power.

2 KNIERTIE MEET, daughter of Peter Meet and his first wife, married, July 5, 1676 in N. Y., Laurens Haff. (Laurens Jeuriaenszen.)

See Haff.

References: N. Y. Record, Vol. 38, pp. 286, 287; Dutch Church Records of Hackensack, N. J., p. 27; Early Settlers of Kings Co.,

N. Y., pp. 202-3; History of Harlem, N. Y., pp. 374-5; N. Y. Dutch Marriages, p. 42.

MEYER

Jan Meyer	m.	Teuntje Straetsman
Margaret Meyer	m.	Hendrick Martensen Wiltsie
Martin Hendrick Wiltsie	m.	Marytje Van Wyck
Johannis Wiltsie	m.	Teuntje Haff
Kniertje Wiltsie	m.	William Fonteyn
Margrietie Fonteyn	m.	David Dutcher
David Dutcher	m.	Ellen Romer
Seneca Dutcher	m.	Rachel Depuy
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 JAN MEYER was a Dane and lived and died in the Dutch Colony at Brazil. He married Teuntje Straetsman, a Swedish woman from Gottenburgh who was living in that place. She married later George Haff, Tileman Jacobs Vander-Myen and finally Gabriel Carboise, marrying the latter in New Amsterdam, June 15, 1657. She died at Gowanus, Oct. 19, 1662 and a dozen years after her death her third husband appeared from Brazil, whom every one supposed to be dead, found his daughter who had married and was the widow of Jan Thomasz Van Dyck of New Utrecht and lived with her many years.

2 MARGARET MEYER, daughter of Jan and Teuntje (Straetsman) Meyer, married first Herman Janszen; second, in the Dutch Church at New Amsterdam, Jan. 10, 1660, Hendrick Martensen (Wiltsie) from Copenhagen.

See Wiltsie.

References: Van Wyck Genealogy, p. 381; History of Harlem, N. Y. pp. 374, 375; N. Y. Dutch Marriages, pp. 21, 25.

PACKER

John Packer m. Rebecca Wells
 |
 Capt. James Packer m. Abigail Avery
 |
 Abigail Packer m. Capt. Thomas Eldredge
 |
 Capt. Thomas Eldredge m. Helen Brown
 |
 George Eldredge m. Hannah Burrows
 |
 Robert Niles Eldredge m. Melinna Louise Johnson
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge m. Helen Louise Dutcher
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 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

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 Hannah Burrows m. George Eldredge
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 Robert Niles Eldredge m. Melinna Louise Johnson
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 Edward Irving Eldredge m. Helen Louise Dutcher
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1 JOHN PACKER was an early settler of Groton, Ct., settling in close proximity to the Pequot Indians who had congregated at Nawayonk (Noank) and the boundaries of his possessions became a dispute between them and was continued by the town and after his death in 1689 was continued by his son James who had inherited it. He married June 24, 1676, Rebecca Wells.

2 JAMES PACKER, son of John and Rebecca (Wells) Packer, was baptized in the First Church, New London, Ct., Sep.

11, 1681. He married first Abigail Avery, baptized in the same Church, Jan. 18, 1679. His second wife was Elizabeth Springer and his third, Thankful Fanning. He was burned to death, April 24, 1765, and, by his first wife, was buried in Lower Mystic Cemetery. He is listed in 1708 among the Freemen of Groton showing he early took up his residence in that place. He made his will there March 11, 1764 in which he mentions his wife Thankful and among his children, Abigail Eldredge and Desire, wife of Capt. John Burrows. A letter written by him at Groton, May 7, 1733 to Governor Talcott of Conn. shows that he was one of the best educated men of his day. He inherited from his father a controversy with the Indians about the extent of his land in Groton. This was settled in 1735 by a Commission appointed by the General Assembly. In his testimony he said in 1664 his father John was granted 150 acres at Mystic Hill, then in New London "now Groton" of which the bounds were uncertain. He served as Deputy to the General Court, 1717, 1732, 1733, 1734. In 1723 he was Ensign of the militia at Groton and later became Capt.

Abigail wife of Capt. James Packer, died Nov. 16, 1722, age 45 years. Capt. James Packer died April 24, 1765 in his 84th year. They are buried west of the village of Mystic, Conn., on the hill near the road.

The History of New London, pp. 440, 444, states that James Packer was an Episcopalian and served as vestryman in 1732 of that Church in New London, but resided in Groton.

3 ABIGAIL PACKER, daughter of Capt. James and Abigail (Avery) Packer, was born in Groton, Ct., Oct. 23, 1708 and married there, Oct. 12, 1727, Thomas Eldredge, born Feb. 2, 1699. The date of her death has not been found, but she was living in 1788.

See Eldredge.

3 DESIRE PACKER, daughter of Capt. James and Abigail (Avery) Packer, was born in Groton, Ct., Sep. 11, 1712 and married there, July 7, 1731, Capt. John Burrows, born Nov. 14, 1701.

See Burrows.

References: Conn. Historical Society Collections, Vol. 4, p. 278; History of New London Co., p. 422; Groton Avery Clan; Colonial Records of Conn., 1717-1725, p. 368; 1726-1735, pp. 2, 363, 517, 558; Vital Records of Groton, Ct. in State Library at Hartford; Vital Records of New London in State Library at Hartford; Ceme-

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tery Inscriptions from Lower Mystic in New London Historical Society's Custody; First Book of Town Records of Groton, Ct.; History of New London, p. 324.

POLHEMUS

Rev. Johannes Theo. Polhemus m. Catharina Van Werwen
 |
 Anna Polhemus m. Cornelis Barentse Van Wyck
 |
 Marytje Van Wyck m. Martin Hendrick Wiltsie
 |
 Johannis Wiltsie m. Teuntje Haff
 |
 Kniertje Wiltsie m. William Fonteyn
 |
 Margrietie Fonteyn m. David Dutcher
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 David Dutcher m. Ellen Romer
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 Seneca Dutcher m. Rachel Depuy
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 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
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 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

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 |
 Margrieta Polhemus m. William Guilliame Cornell
 |
 Catrina Cornell m. Johannes Fonteyn
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1 REV. JOHANNES THEODORUS POLHEMUS, born in Holland, 1598, was a minister at Meppel, Province of Drenthe, Holland and in 1637 went to Itamarca, Brazil under the auspices of the West India Co. When the Dutch left that territory he came to New Amsterdam and in 1654 accepted a call from the Dutch Churches on Long Island, becoming their first minister. He died in Flatbush, June 8, 1676 and the records of the Dutch Church there show that on June 10, 1676 "Mother Polhemus" was charged "for a grave in the church." He married Catharina Van Werwen whose ancestry is not known, but she was buried in the Church at Flatbush in 1701.

Catharina Van Werwen as wife of Rev. Johannes Theodorus Polhemus, when her husband left Brazil, went to Holland to endeavor to secure the arrears due him from the West India Company. Her labors were not at first productive of much benefit but in May, 1656, the Classis of Amsterdam, sanctioned the pastorate of her husband at Flatbush and promised to assist her in reaching that place and bore testimony as to her character as follows: "She is a very worthy matron, has great desire to be with her husband and has struggled along here in poverty and great straits, always conducting herself modestly and piously."

2 ANNA POLHEMUS, daughter of Rev. Johannes Theodorus and Catharina (Van Werwen) Polhemus, married Cornelis Barentse Van Wyck. She died before Jan. 8, 1732.

See Van Wyck.

2 MARGRIETA POLHEMUS, daughter of Rev. Johannes Theodorus and Catharina (Van Werwen) Polhemus, married William Guilliame Cornell and on May 31, 1690 she was charged for his grave in the Dutch Church at Flatbush, L. I. as per their records.

See Cornell.

References: Ancestral Tablets, p. 308; Records of the First Reformed Dutch Church of Flatbush, L. I.; Early Settlers of Kings Co., N. Y., p. 227; Van Wyck Genealogy, p. 25.

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 |
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GERARDUS HARDENBERGH HOME
Fallsburgh, N. Y.



DOOR OF GERARDUS HARDENBERGH HOUSE
Fallsburgh, N. Y.

1 JORIS JANSEN RAPALIE came from Rochelle in France to this country in 1623, on the ship "Unity," with Catalyntie Trico, his wife (daughter of Joris Trico of Paris) and first settled in Fort Orange, near Albany from whence he removed in 1626 to New Amsterdam. Here in the occupancy of a homestead on the north side of the present Pearl Street and adjoining the south side of the fort he resided for more than twenty-two years and until after the birth of his youngest child in 1650. During a portion of these years he was an innkeeper and his name frequently occurs as such upon the books of the Burgomaster's Court until 1654. That he possessed the confidence of his fellow citizens is evidenced by the fact, that in August, 1641, he was one of the twelve men representing Manhattan, Brooklyn and Pavonia, chosen for the purpose of deliberating upon measures necessary to be adopted to punish the Indians for the murders which they had committed. About 1654 he removed his permanent residence to his farm at the "Waal-boght" for in 1655, 1656, 1657, 1660 and 1662 he was one of the Magistrates of Brooklyn with which town his whole subsequent life was identified.

The above mentioned farm was purchased by him from its Indian proprietors in 1637 on the 16th of June. On this tract in 1869 was situated the United States Marine Hospital and embraced the land between Nostrand and Grand Avenues in the city of Brooklyn. This property passed into the hands of his eldest son Jeronimus. He died on this place soon after the close of the Dutch administration of Manhattan and his wife died September 11, 1689, aged 84 years. The two Labadist travellers who visited the colony in 1679 have preserved in their journal an account of a visit which they paid to Catalina the widow of Joris Rapalie as follows: "Mr. De la Grange with his wife came to ask us to accompany them in their boat to the Wale-bocht, a place situated on Long Island, almost an hour's distance below the city, directly opposite Corlear's Hook. He had an old aunt and other friends living there. We reached the bay in about two hours. The aunt of De la Grange, is an old Walloon from Valencienns, seventy-four years old. She is worldly minded, living with her whole heart as well as body, among her progeny, which now number 145 and will soon reach 150. Nevertheless she lived alone by herself, a little apart from the others, having her little garden and other conveniences, with which she helped herself."

Stiles says: "Thus peacefully and pleasantly passed the later years of this 'mother of New York,' who with her mission fulfilled, still active and with habits of industry begotten by her pioneer life, now reposed contented amid the love and respectful attentions of her kindred and her descendants."

2 SARAH RAPALIE, daughter of Joris Jansen and Catalyntie (Trico) Rapalie, was born in Albany, June 9, 1625 and was the first female child born of European parents in this territory. She married in 1639, Hans Hansen Bergen, who died about 1654 when she married Tunis Gysbertse Bogaert.

The Journal of the Dutch Council for 1656 states that "the widow of Hans Hansen, the first born Christian daughter in the New Netherlands, burdened with seven children, petitions for a grant of a piece of meadow, in addition to the 20 Morgen granted to her at the Walle-Boght." As this is an official document, it should silence those who have questioned her right to this honor.

See Bergen.

2 ANNETIE RAPALIE, daughter of Joris Jansen and Catalyntie (Trico) Rapalie, was born Feb. 8, 1646 and married May 14, 1663, Martin Reyersen.

See Reyersen.

References: Early Settlers of Kings Co., N. Y., pp. 32, 234, 241; History of Brooklyn, Vol. 1, pp. 85-89, 413, 414; Long Island Historical Collections, Vol. 1, pp. 341, 342.

REYERSEN

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Joris Reyersen	m.	Anneke Schouten
Col. Martin Reyersen	m.	Catherine Cock
Nancy Reyersen	m.	Capt. Gerardus Hardenbergh
Rachel Hardenbergh	m.	Major Josiah Depuy
Elias Depuy	m.	Helen Brodhead
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 MARTIN REYERSEN (Reyerszen) emigrated from Amsterdam, Holland in 1646 and settled in Brooklyn where on May 14, 1663 he married Annetie, daughter of Joris Jansen Rapalie. He appears on the assessment rolls of Brooklyn for 1675, 1676 and 1683 and was a member of the Dutch Church of that place. He served the town as Magistrate in 1679 and as Constable in 1682 and died about 1687. His widow married, Jan. 30, 1692, Joost Franz.

2 JORIS REYERSEN, son of Martin and Annetie (Rapalie) Reyersen, was baptized in New York, Sep. 19, 1666 and married, Aug. 11, 1691, Anneke, born March 17, 1666, died May 17, 1743, daughter of Johannes and Sara (Jans) Schouten and widow of Teunis Dircksen Dey, who owned the farm which Dey St., New York, divided in two when made. Joris Reyersen left Brooklyn and worked a farm leased from Trinity, but in 1708 removed to New Jersey, where with others he purchased 5500 acres in East New Jersey and became a prominent citizen. In 1715 he was one of the Judges for Bergen Co. He married second, in his old age, Susannah King.

3 MARTIN REYERSEN (as the name was then known), son of Joris and Anneke (Schouten) Reyersen, was baptized Oct. 9, 1698 and died in 1767. He settled in Hunterdon Co., N. J., near Flemington, not far from his brother-in-law, Governor John Reading. He was Colonel of the Militia in the Colonial Service of the King. March 16, 1748 he was appointed Judge of the Court of Common Pleas which office he held three years. He married Catherine Cock (Cox), baptized Jan. 11, 1713 in Kingston, N. Y.

4 ANN (NANCY) REYERSEN, daughter of Col. Martin and Catherine (Cox) Reyersen, was born in Readington, N. J., Nov. 29, 1743 and married, April 28, 1766, Gerardus Hardenbergh born 1744.

See Hardenbergh.

References: Reyerson Genealogy, pp. 1, 4, 13, 14.

RUTSEN

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 |
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 Catharine Rutsen m. Col. Johannes Hardenbergh
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1 RUTGER JACOBSEN VAN SCHOENDERWOERT, or Rutger Jacob from Schoenderwoert, a place two miles north of Leerdane, and four miles from Vianen, Holland, on Oct. 1, 1636, embarked from the Island of Texel on a vessel in service of the patroon Killian Van Rensselaer and located in Albany, where in 1647 he, with a partner, Gerritse Van Schaick, rented the brewery from Van Rensselaer. The business prospered and in 1654, he purchased a brew-house from Jan Van Nostrand. He also engaged in shipping beaver skins, owned a sloop, which run on the Hudson River to New Amsterdam, which he at times commanded himself. In 1655 he was one of the Magistrates of the town, a position he held until his death in 1665. On June 2, 1656, he as the town's oldest Magistrate laid the cornerstone of the Dutch Church. He accumulated a fortune for those days and his inventory showed silverware and jewelry amounting to 512 guilders and 14 stivers. It is quite evident that he had two wives but the name of the first one is not known, but he married second, in New Amsterdam, June 3, 1646, Tryntje Jansen Van Breestede.

2 JACOB RUTSEN, son of Rutger Jacobsen and Tryntje Van Breestede, was born in Albany in 1650 and about 1670 removed to Kingston, engaged in trade and became the richest man in Esopus. He was a Deacon in the Dutch Church at Kingston and purchased

a large tract of land from the Indians to which he added many others and he and his son-in-law Johannes Hardenbergh, possessed a domain greater in extent than many a Grand Duchy in Germany. He supported Leisler in his trials and endured much approbrium in consequence but commanded the respect and admiration of the people and one year after Leisler's execution he was elected to the Assembly and served three years, 1699, 1700, 1701 in opposition to Bayard and Livingston, and he was returned again, serving 1713-1726. He was a Justice of the Peace; Judge of the Common Pleas and Lieut.-Col. of the Ulster and Dutchess County Troops in 1700 and Colonel, 1710-1728.

In 1680 he purchased 960 acres of land on both sides of Rondout Kill which he leased in consideration that a stone house should be built which was done and in 1700 he left his store in Kingston to his son-in-law Johannes Hardenbergh and retired to this property which now comprises part of the town of Rosendale, while the residence is part of the Cornell mansion in the village. He died at this place in 1730 and was buried near his home between two cedar posts which are said to be still standing. The house was built about 1680 and was destroyed by lightning July 5, 1911. In this house George and Martha Washington were entertained June 21, 1783 with Governor Clinton and his wife, the host being Col. Johannes Hardenbergh, grandson of Col. Rutsen.

He married Marritje, daughter of Hans Hansen Bergen, baptized in New Amsterdam Dutch Church, Oct. 8, 1651.

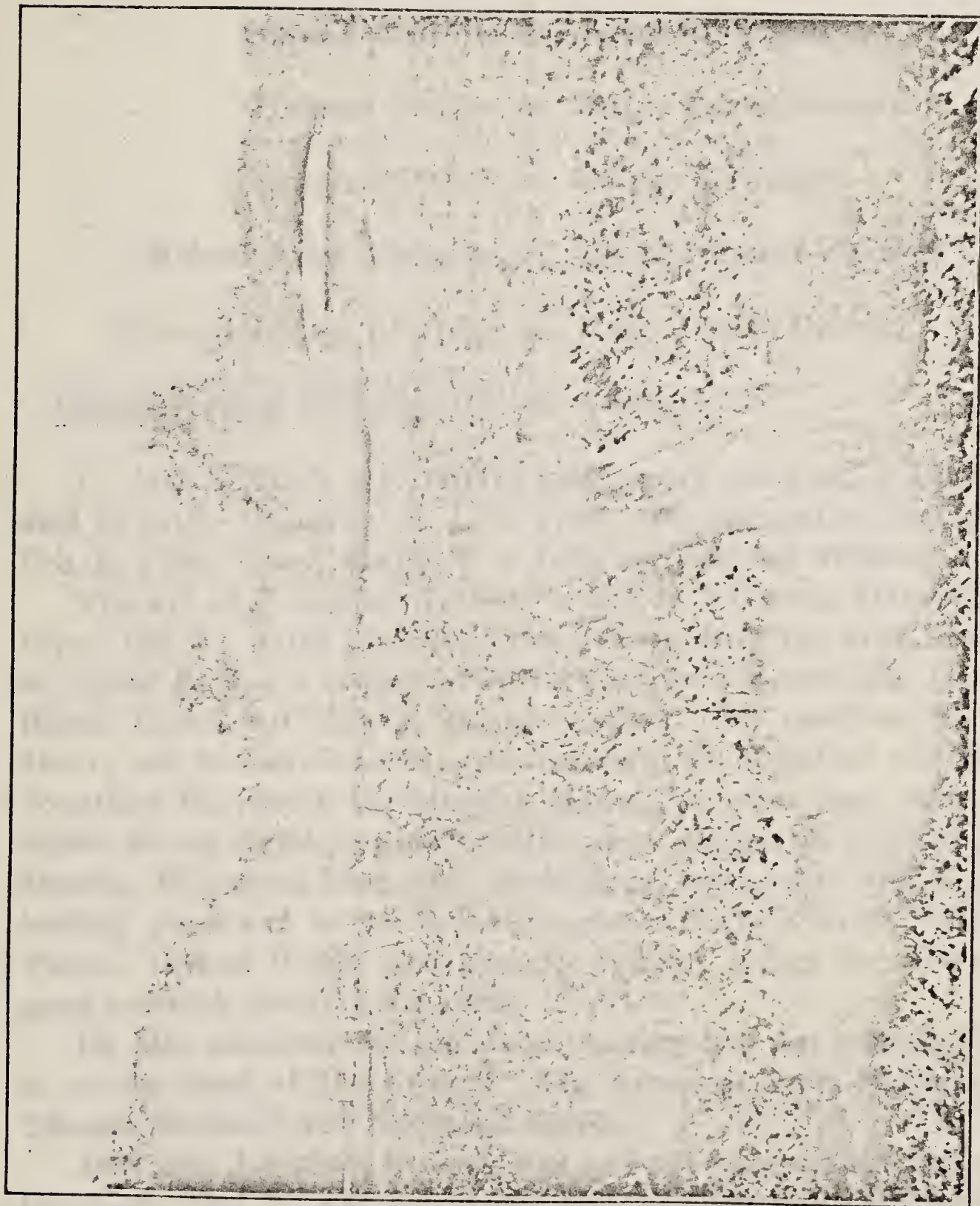
3 CATHARINE RUTSEN, daughter of Jacob and Marritje (Bergen) Rutsen, was baptized in Albany, N. Y., Oct. 14, 1676 and married in Kingston, N. Y., Dec. 5, 1699, Johannes Hardenbergh of that place.

See Hardenbergh.

3 SARAH RUTSEN, daughter of Jacob and Marritje (Bergen) Rutsen, baptized in Kingston, N. Y., Nov. 17, 1678, married in Kingston, N. Y., Dec. 18, 1720, as her second husband, Nicholas Roosa, baptized April 27, 1684.

See Roosa.

References: Olde Ulster, Vol. 5, pp. 56, 337, Vol. 7, p. 233; New York Marriages, p. 14; First Settlers of Albany, pp. 93, 94; Kingston, N. Y. Dutch Church Records, p. 515.



GRAVE OF COL. JACOB RUTSEN

RECORDS—RICKARDS

Jonathan Records m. Mary Wilbur
 |
 Hannah Records m. Jeremiah Wilbur
 |
 Hannah Wilbur m. Sergt. John Burrows
 |
 Hannah Burrows m. George Eldredge
 |
 Robert Niles Eldredge m. Melinna Louise Johnson
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge m. Helen Louise Dutcher
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 JONATHAN RECORDS (Rickards) was born in 1684 and died in Little Compton, R. I. in 1742. He married in that place, Feb. 8, 1706, Mary, daughter of John and Hannah Wilbur.

The will of Jonathan Records is filed in Taunton, Mass. (Liber 10, p. 162/3), dated May 10, 1742, proven June 15, 1742 in which he stated he was a cooper of Little Compton, Bristol Co. (now in Rhode Island but then in Massachusetts). He mentions his wife Mary, and his son Jonathan, making them his executors and giving Jonathan his pew in the Meeting House, his great long table, two chests in his "grate room," cattle, etc. Bequeaths his daughter Martha Wilbur, a high case of drawers, two chairs and a great looking glass and mentions his daughters Mary Church, Comfort Taber, Alishad Briggs and Hannah Wilbur, giving the latter one good bed with covering for same.

He also mentions his son John, leaving him ten pounds "if he be in the land of the living." The witnesses were Richard and Thomas Brownell and Nathaniel Searle.

Just who Jonathan Records was has not been satisfactorily determined—that he was associated with the people at Plymouth is proven by deed and will and the Vital Records of Little Compton show that he had more children than he named in his will. It is fair to assume that they pre-deceased him, but of importance among them was Judith, born Jan. 15, 1711, died Jan. 13, 1729. Because of the uncommon name and its connection with the Rickards family of Plymouth and for other reasons, the compiler of this book is quite thoroughly convinced that Jonathan was of the Plymouth Colony. The original Vital Records of Plymouth have been searched and show no Jonathan and only one John born in 1684, son of

John and Mary (Cooke) Rickards, but he was in Plymouth as *John* and executor of his father's will in 1711.

The only Rickard of Plymouth who owned land in Rhode Island was Giles who had it deeded to him in 1650 by Myles Standish. (Liber 3, p. 99, Taunton.) On March 6, 1673/4 Liber 4, p. 381 of deeds at Taunton, Mass., show that Giles Rickards of Plymouth sold "part of his share" of land in Tiverton to John Allmy of Rhode Island. This deed was witnessed by John Brown and William Crow. In 1680 Giles Rickard sold land in Little Compton to Edward Gray and in 1718/19 Jonathan Records of Little Compton received land there from Wm. Southworth (Liber 17, p. 71, Taunton) and in 1726 from Edward Gray (Liber 17, p. 288-9), thus showing the close association with the Plymouth Colony men.

Giles Rickards made his will in Plymouth, Mass., Feb. 9, 1701/2, which was proven there Dec. 18, 1702, and is filed in Liber 2, pp. 3, 4 at Plymouth. He mentions property given him by his father Giles (fifty acres), which he leaves his sons John and Samuel. He names his other children as Henry, Giles, Eleazer, Josiah, Abigail, Judith, Hannah and Marcy. His wife Hannah survived him. He was the son of Giles and Judith Rickards of early Plymouth.

All of the above sons, excepting Samuel can be eliminated as the father of Jonathan. Of Samuel very little was found excepting that he had a son Samuel.

2 HANNAH RECORDS, daughter of Jonathan and Mary (Wilbur) Records, was born in Little Compton, R. I., Nov. 4, 1706 and married there June 20, 1728, Jeremiah Wilbur, born Dec. 17, 1706.

See Wilbur.

References: Vital Records of Little Compton, R. I.; Wills and Deeds at Taunton and Plymouth, Mass.



EDWARD IRVING ELDREDGE, JR.
When Ensign in the Navy, in the World War.

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1 JACOBUS (JAMES) ROBINSON (Robertz-Robertson), an Englishman, is first found in the Dutch Church Records of Kingston, N. Y., when he married, March 2, 1712, Weyntje Klaarwater.

2 RACHEL ROBINSON, daughter of Jacobus (James) and Weyntje (Klaarwater) Robinson, was born in Shawangunk, Ulster Co., N. Y., according to the record of her marriage, June 6, 1753, in the Dutch Church at Kingston to Elias Depuy, which also states they were both residing in Rochester (Ulster Co.).

See Depuy.

References: Records of the Dutch Church at Kingston, N. Y.

ROMEYN—ROMER

Claes Jansen Romeyn m. Styntie Terhune
 |
 Jan Claesen Romeyn m. Lammetie Bongaert
 |
 David Romeyn m. Angenitie Westervelt
 |
 John Romer m. Marytje Dutcher
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 Ellen Romer m. David Dutcher
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1 CLAES JANSEN ROMEYN emigrated to New Amsterdam about 1653 and married Styntie Alberts Terhune, who was probably his second wife. He was of Flatlands, L. I. in 1679 and 1681, but in 1863 had a daughter baptized in the Dutch Church at New Utrecht. He removed to Hackensack, N. J., but is not mentioned there after Dec., 1722, when he and his wife witnessed the baptism of their grandson Claes. This name has undergone some changes and the family to-day are known as "Romer."

They removed to New York, where he made his will Oct. 31, 1719, which was proven Nov. 16, 1730 in which he mentions his wife and besides his other children, his eldest son John.

2 JAN CLAESEN ROMEYN, son of Claes Jansen and Styntie (Alberts-Terhune) Romeyn, was married in the Dutch Church at Hackensack, N. J., May 20, 1699, to Lammetie Bongaert, baptized in Dutch Church at Brooklyn, N. Y., Oct. 14, 1677. His children were born, baptized and married in Hackensack, N. J. according to the church records of the place. When he and his wife died is not known. The last mention found of them is in 1737 when they witnessed the baptism of their grandson Jan, of their son David. They probably emigrated first to Westchester Co., N. Y. and then to Dutchess Co., N. Y., with their sons and died there.

The name finally became Roomer and Romer, dropping the final letters in the course of time as is the case with a large number of our American families.

3 DAVID ROMEYN, son of Jan Claesen and Lammetie (Bongaert) Romeyn, was baptized in the Dutch Church at Hackensack, N. J., May 17, 1714 and married there, June 5, 1736, Angenitie Westervelt. Just when he and his brothers emigrated to Fishkill, N. Y. cannot be determined, but he had a daughter baptized in the Dutch Church there, May 31, 1741 and another at Schraalenburgh, N. J. in 1743 and it was probably shortly after that date that he made his permanent home in Dutchess Co. He married second, May 6, 1745 in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Maria Freer, by whom no issue has been found. His will has not been found, but in Poughkeepsie Deeds, Liber 6, p. 119, is a reference to it wherein it states that the will was dated Aug. 19, 1754 and mentions his "*then* wife Maria" and an only son John who refused to act as executor. In this deed he was called of Rumbout, and it is dated April 18, 1769. He died before 1759 for on June 10 of that year his brother sold a farm belonging to him in Rumbout, as his executor, which David had

purchased of Enoch Earl before 1754. In these deeds the name had undergone some variations and was now Romine.

4 JOHN ROMEYN (known as Romer), son of David and Angenitie (Westervelt) Romeyn, was baptized in the Dutch Church at Hackensack, N. J., Dec. 25, 1737, and married as his second wife, in New Hackensack, N. Y., Oct. 25, 1781, Marytje Dutcher of Fishkill, whose connection with the Dutcher family of that place has not been found. By her he had Antje, baptized, Poughkeepsie, Feb. 1, 1782, John, born Dec. 16, 1784, Neeltje (Helen-Ellen), baptized June 24, 1785 and David, born Oct. 15, 1794, baptized Jan. 28, 1795 (after his father's death), who married Elizabeth Dabron. He was known at this time as John Romer and the name so continues in the family. His first wife may have been Tryntje Cornelisen, by whom he had a child, baptized in Poughkeepsie in 1766.

He served in the Revolutionary War as a private in the Dutchess Co. Militia, 2nd Reg't, under Col. Brinckerhoff. (N. Y. in the Revolution, by Roberts, p. 137.)

5 NEELTJE (HELEN-ELLEN-NELLIE) ROMER, daughter of John and Marytje (Dutcher) Romer, was baptized in the Dutch Church at New Hackensack, near Poughkeepsie, N. Y., June 24, 1785 and married David Dutcher.

See Dutcher.

References: Dutch Church Records at Poughkeepsie, N. Y.; New Hackensack, N. Y.; Fishkill, N. Y.; Schraalenburgh, N. J.; Hackensack, N. J.; Early Settlers of Kings Co., N. Y., p. 244; Van Benschoten Genealogy, p. 211; N. Y. Wills, Vol. 2, p. 3; Family Records.

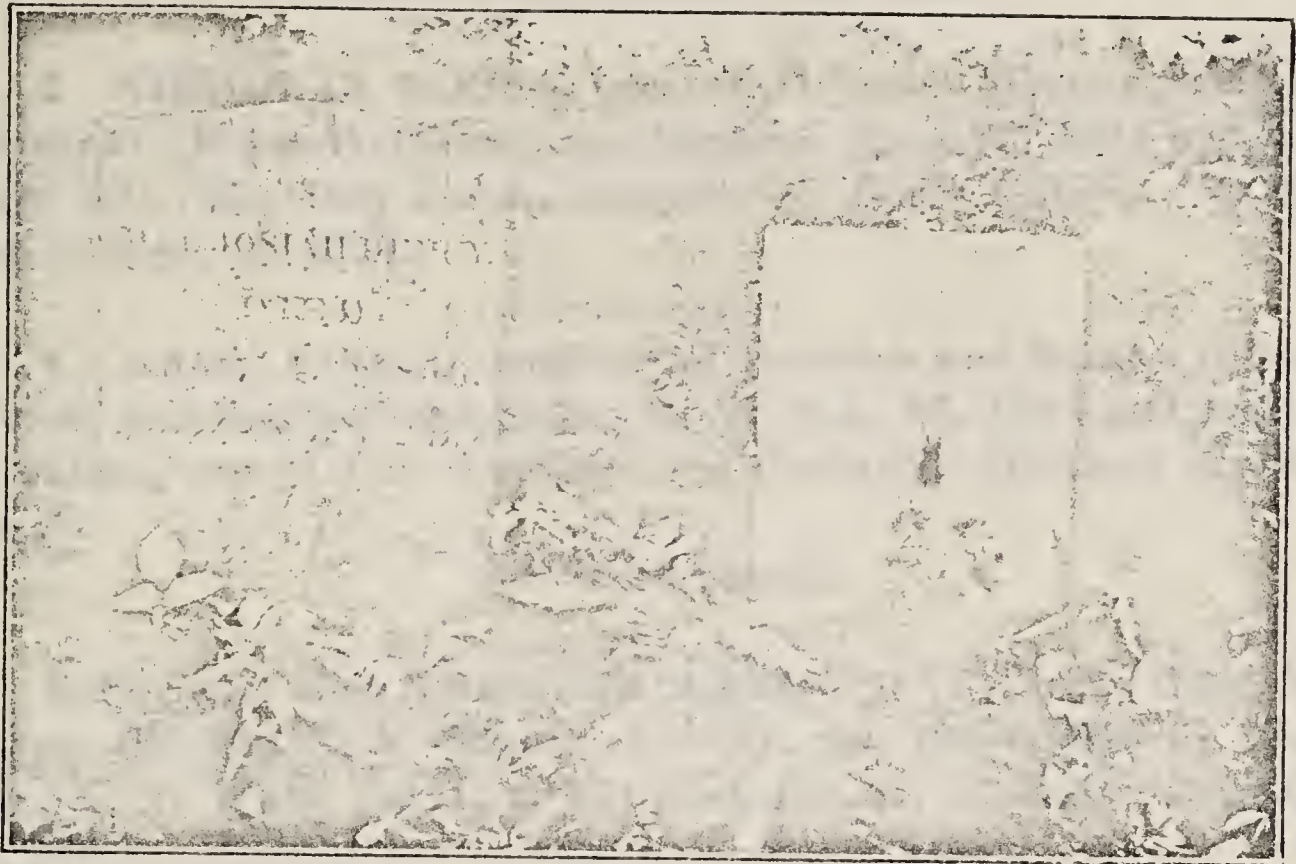
ROOSA

Capt. Albert Heymans Roosa m. Wyntie Ariens
 |
 Heyman Albertse Roosa m. Ann Margriet Rosevelt
 |
 Nicholas Roosa m. Sarah Rutsen
 |
 Mary Roosa m. Abraham Hardenbergh
 |
 Sarah Hardenbergh m. Capt. Charles Wessel Brodhead
 |
 Charles Brodhead m. Antje Schoonmaker
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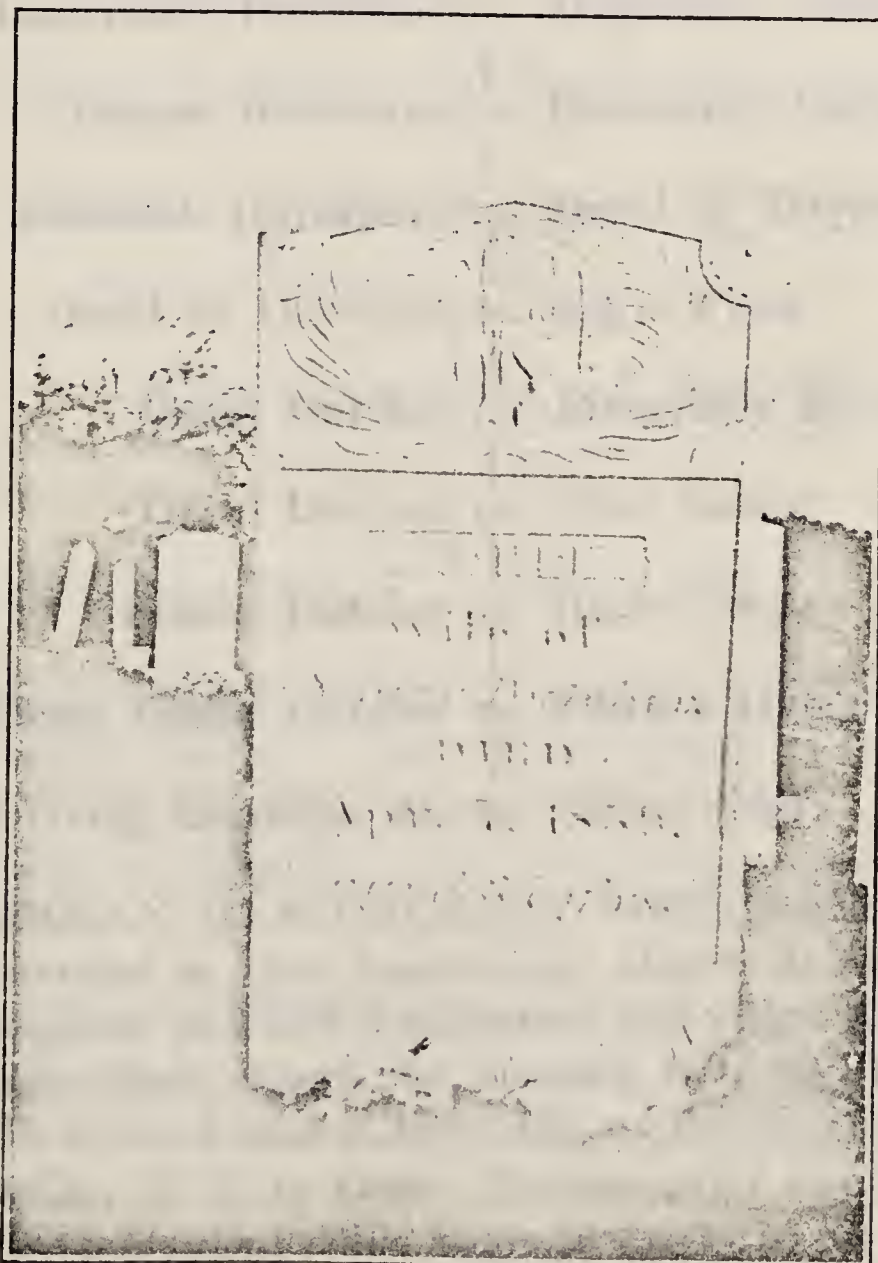
1 ALBERT HEYMANS ROOSA from Gelderland with his wife Wyntie Ariens or Allard and eight children landed in New Amsterdam from the ship 'Spotted Cow' in April, 1660. Soon after their arrival they settled in the Esopus district of Wiltwyck, now Kingston, N. Y. He brought with him considerable property from Holland and speedily occupied an influential position in the community.

In 1661 he was appointed one of the first three Magistrates of his district and also appointed a Commissioner to enclose New Village, now Hurley. In 1673 he was confirmed as Captain of the Ulster Co. Troops, but had served before in the military forces of the Colony as Mustering Officer and in 1670 was Sergeant of Capt. Henry Pawling's Co. He died in Hurley, Feb. 27, 1679. In 1685 his widow secured a grant of 320 acres at that place. The date of her death has not been found.

2 HEYMAN ALBERTSE ROOSA, son of Albert Heymans and Wyntie (Ariens) Roosa, was born in 1643 and made his will in Hurley, N. Y., Aug. 23, 1708, which was proven Sep. 9, 1708, in which he mentions his son Nicholas. He married Ann Margriet Rosevelt, baptized Aug. 29, 1654 in New Amsterdam, who probably predeceased the making of his will.



GRAVESTONES OF MAJOR JOSIAH DEPUY AND HIS WIFE RACHEL HARDENBERGH
In Viele Cemetery, Neversink, N. Y.



GRAVESTONE OF RACHEL DEPUY, WIFE OF SENECA DUTCHER
Liberty, N. Y.

3 NICHOLAS ROOSA, son of Heyman Albertse and Ann Margriet (Rosevelt) Roosa, was baptized April 27, 1684 and married, Dec. 18, 1720, Sarah, daughter of Jacob Rutsen. He died before Sept. 22, 1771.

4 MARY ROOSA, daughter of Nicholas and Sarah (Rutsen) Roosa, was baptized, Kingston, N. Y., Feb. 26, 1721 and married Abraham, son of Col. Johannes and Catharine (Rutsen) Hardenbergh.

See Hardenbergh.

References: New Netherlands Register, p. 71; N. Y. Wills, Vol. 8, pp. 32, 33; N. Y. Record, Vol. 31, pp. 163-6, 235-6; Ulster Co., N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 75; Kingston, N. Y. Dutch Baptisms, p. 134.

ROSECRANS

Harman Hendricksen Rosecrans m. Magdalena Volckertsen

Johana Rosecrans m. Humphrey Davenport

Elizabeth Davenport m. David de Duyster

David de Duyscher m. Aegje Freer

David Dutcher m. Margrietie Fonteyn

David Dutcher m. Ellen Romer

Seneca Dutcher m. Rachel Depuy

Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge

Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 HARMAN HENDRICKSEN ROSECRANS from Bergen, Norway, married in New Amsterdam, March 3, 1657, Magdalena Dircks, daughter of Dirck Volckertsen and widow of Cornelis Hendricksen Van Dort, whom she married Oct. 24, 1652. He was granted 150 acres of land on both sides of Rondout Creek in Rochester, Ulster Co., N. Y. in 1703. He died prior to 1709, for during that year his heirs deeded the above property to his son Alexander. His wife was living in 1726 as she is mentioned in her daughter Sara's will.

2 JOHANA (ANNA) ROSECRANS, daughter of Harman Hendricksen and Magdalena (Volckertsen) Rosecrans, married April 18, 1684, Humphrey Davenport of Kingston, N. Y.

See Davenport.

References: N. Y. Dutch Marriages, pp. 17, 21; Rosecrans Mss. in N. Y. Genealogical Society; N. Y. Record, Vol. 41. p. 112.

ROSEVELT

Claes Martenszen Van Rosenvelt m. Jannetje Samuel Thomas

Ann Margriet Rosevelt m. Heyman Albertse Roosa

Nicholas Roosa m. Sarah Rutsen

Mary Roosa m. Abraham Hardenbergh

Sarah Hardenbergh m. Capt. Charles Wessel Brodhead

Charles Brodhead m. Antje Schoonmaker

Helen Brodhead m. Elias Depuy

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1 CLAËS MARTENSZEN VAN ROSEVELT, was among the Holland colonists who came from Zeeland in 1649 or 1650 bringing with him his wife, Jannetje Samuel Thomas. He is the pioneer ancestor of Theodore Roosevelt, former President of the United States.

2 ANN MARGRIET ROSEVELT, daughter of Claes Martenszen and Jannetje Van Rosenvelt, was baptized in the Dutch Church in New Amsterdam, Aug. 29, 1654 and married Heyman Albertse Roosa.

See Roosa.

References: Roosevelt Genealogy, 3, 5.

RUSCO

William Rusco m. Rebecca ———
 |
 Mary Rusco m. Ens. Hugh Wells
 |
 Rebecca Wells m. John Packer
 |
 Capt. James Packer m. Abigail Avery
 |
 Desire Packer m. Capt. John Burrows
 |
 Sergt. John Burrows m. Hannah Wilbur
 |
 Hannah Burrows m. George Eldredge
 |
 Robert Niles Eldredge m. Melinna Louise Johnson
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge m. Helen Louise Dutcher
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

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 Capt. James Packer m. Abigail Avery
 |
 Abigail Packer m. Capt. Thomas Eldredge
 |
 Capt. Thomas Eldredge m. Helen Brown
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 George Eldredge m. Hannah Burrows
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 Robert Niles Eldredge m. Melinna Louise Johnson
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 Edward Irving Eldredge m. Helen Louise Dutcher
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 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1. WILLIAM RUSCO, born about 1593, came to New England in the Spring of 1635 in the ship "Increase," the passenger

list stating that Wm. Rusco, husbandman, aged 41, his wife Rebecca, aged 40 and his four children, Sara, aged 9, Marie, aged 7, Samuel, aged 5 and Wm., aged 1, embarked at London, April 13, 1635, the father having a certificate from the minister of Billericay, Co. Essex, that he was a subsidy man. Tradition in this family persistently claims a Huguenot ancestry.

William Rusco was evidently an adherent of Rev. Thomas Hooker, as he first settled with him in Newtown, now Cambridge, Mass. and in 1636 followed him to Hartford, Ct., where in Feb., 1639/40 he appears as a grantor to Richard Seemer and in 1650 as a grantee from the same party. In Feb., 1649/50 he was appointed to keep the prison at Hartford, but before Aug. 27, 1657 he had removed to Norwalk and appears on the records there as late as July 15, 1665, in which year he sold his home there. He had taken up his residence prior to that year, in Jamaica, L. I., for on April 11, 1662 he, with others signed an agreement to deliver the Rev. Prudden a load of wood yearly and in 1665, 1666 and 1670 he was a member of the Town Meeting, in Jamaica.

He married first, in England, about 1620, Rebecca, whose maiden name is not known, but who died soon after her arrival in New England. He married second, at Cambridge, Mass., Feb. or March, 1635/6, Hester Musse, a widow. His will, dated Jamaica, L. I., Aug. 5, 1680 was proven Dec. 13, 1682.

2 MARY RUSCOE, daughter of William and Rebecca Ruscoe, was born in England, 1628 and married at Hartford, Ct., Aug. 19, 1647, Hugh Wells of Wethersfield, Ct., who died there Dec. 22, 1678.

See Wells.

References: New England Register, Vol. 13, p. 141, Vol. 14, p. 308, Vol. 55, p. 379, Vol. 71, pp. 113, 114; Town Records of Jamaica, L. I., Vol. 1, pp. 35, 46, 222; New York Wills, Vol. 1, p. 121; Olde Ulster, Vol. 1, p. 306.

SCHEPMOES

Jan Jansen Schepmoes m. Sarah Pietersen
 |
 Jobie Schepmoes m. Capt. Gerrit Hardenbergh
 |
 Col. Johannes Hardenbergh m. Catharine Rutsen
 |
 Abraham Hardenbergh m. Mary Roosa
 |
 Sarah Hardenbergh m. Capt. Charles Wessel Brodhead
 |
 Charles Brodhead m. Antje Schoonmaker
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 |
 Col. Johannes Hardenbergh m. Maria Du Bois
 |
 Capt. Gerardus Hardenbergh m. Nancy Reyersen
 |
 Rachel Hardenbergh m. Major Josiah Depuy
 |
 Elias Depuy m. Helen Brodhead
 |
 Rachel Depuy m. Seneca Dutcher
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
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1 JAN JANSEN SCHEPMOES, or as the name signifies, Jan Jansen, the shepherd, came to Albany from Holland as early

as 1638 with wife Sarah Pietersen. They removed to New Amsterdam, where he purchased land in 1643 and 1644 and died at his home in Pearl Street in 1655. She married second in New Amsterdam, Oct. 7, 1656, Willem Tomasse Couck (Cock) of England.

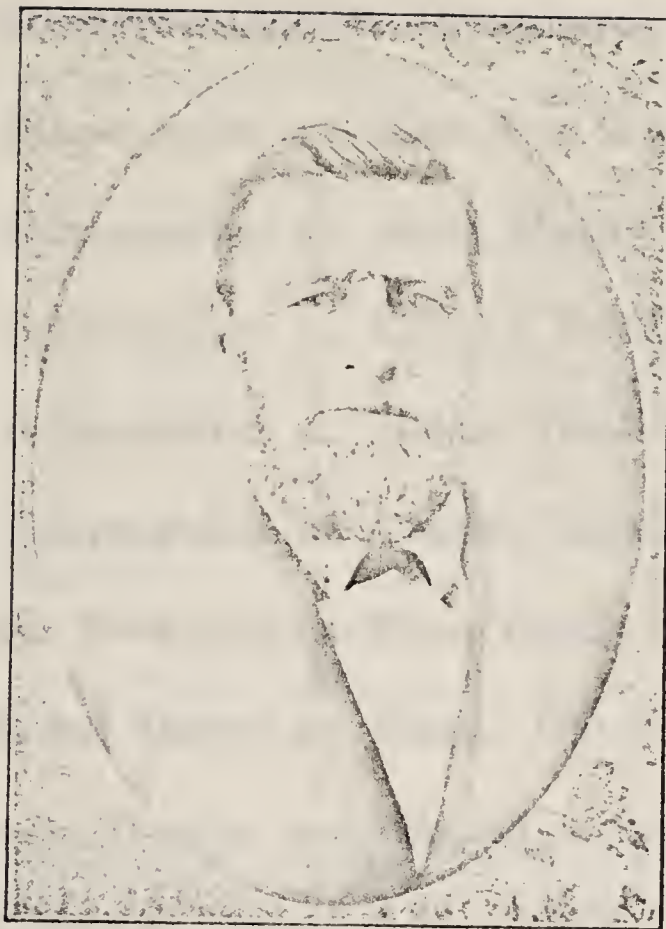
2 JOBIE (JAEPIE-JANE) SCHEPMOES, daughter of Jan Jansen and Sarah (Pietersen) Schepmoes, was baptized in the Dutch Church of New Amsterdam, Jan. 6, 1647 and married Gerrit Hortenburg (Hardenbergh). Her name is perpetuated among her descendants as Jacoba.

See Hardenbergh.

References: Ulster Co., N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, pp. 42, 43; Olde Ulster, Vol. 1, p. 232; Ancestral Tablets, pp. 84, 85.

SCHOONMAKER

Lt. Hendr'k Joch. Schoonmaker	m.	Elsie Van Breestede
Capt. Jochem Schoonmaker	m.	Anna Hussey
Margriet Schoonmaker	m.	Moses Depuy
Elias Depuy	m.	Rachel Robinson
Major Josiah Depuy	m.	Rachel Hardenbergh
Elias Depuy	m.	Helen Brodhead
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb



SENECA DUTCHER



HOME OF SENECA DUTCHER, MONTICELLO, N. Y.

Where Helen Louise Dutcher was married to
Edward Irving Eldredge, Sr.

SCHOONMAKER—*Continued*

Lt. Hendr'k Joch. Schoonmaker m. Elsie Van Breestede
 |
 Capt. Jochem Schoonmaker m. Anna Hussey
 |
 Benjamin Schoonmaker m. Catrina Depuy
 |
 Cornelius Schoonmaker m. Helena Bassett
 |
 Antje Schoonmaker m. Charles Brodhead
 |
 Helen Brodhead m. Elias Depuy
 |
 Rachel Depuy m. Seneca Dutcher
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 HENDRICK JOCHEMSE SCHOONMAKER was a native of Hamburg, Germany and came to America in the military service of Holland and settled at Albany previous to 1655, where for some time he kept an inn. The early records of that place show that he was a man of considerable social and financial standing and that he owned a large amount of property. He loaned money to Governor Stuyvesant "in time of need" and became Lieutenant "in the company of his Noble Honor, the Director General." In 1659 this company was ordered to Esopus, now Kingston, to assist the recent settlers in defending themselves against the Indians. While there it was disbanded and he decided to remain, having received probably from Governor Stuyvesant his share of land promised the soldiers. Here he became prominent and his military knowledge and experience were constantly called into use in the frequent struggles with the Indians. Though severely wounded, he fought bravely and well in the Indian uprising of June 7, 1663 and in 1667 he led the Dutch burghers in their mutiny against the exactions of the English garrison.

While residing in Albany, probably about 1657 or 1658, he married Elsie, daughter of Jan Janse Van Breestede and his wife Engeltje Janse. She was the widow of Adriaen Pieterszen Van Alcmaer, by whom she had three children. He died about 1681 and she married third, Sept. 6, 1684, Cornelis Barentse Sleght, one of the first Magistrates of Ulster County.

2 JOCHEM SCHOONMAKER, son of Hendrick Jochemse and Elsie (Van Breestede) Schoonmaker, was born in Albany about 1659 and was one of the original settlers of Rochester, Ulster Co., N. Y., where with Col. Henry Beekman and Moses Du Puis, he was a member of its first Board of Trustees, holding that office from Sep. 14, 1703 until 1715. He was also Supervisor of Rochester from 1709 to 1712 and Captain of a company raised for defence against the Indians. He married first, Aug. 16, 1679, Petronella Sleght; second, April 28, 1689, Anna, baptized, Kingston, N. Y., June 27, 1670, daughter of Frederick and Margaret Hussey, of whom nothing has been found.

He made his will Dec. 4, 1709, which was proven Nov. 7, 1730 in which he mentions his wife and among many children, his daughter Greetje, wife of Moses "Dupuis, Jr."

3 MARGRIET (GRIETJE) SCHOONMAKER, daughter of Jochem and Anna (Hussey) Schoonmaker, was baptized Dec. 15, 1695 and married Feb. 14, 1716, Moses Depuy, Jr. The marriage recorded in the Dutch Church at Kingston states they were born and resided in Rochester. Dates of death have not been found.

See Depuy.

3 BENJAMIN SCHOONMAKER, son of Jochem and Anna (Hussey) Schoonmaker, was baptized April 19, 1702 and died in July, 1776. He married, May 10, 1722, Catrina, baptized Nov. 30, 1701, daughter of Moses and Maria (Wynkoop) Dupuis. He married second, Jenneke Schoonmaker, by whom he had no issue. In 1758 he built the old stone house in Accord, Ulster Co., N. Y., which in 1906 was the summer home of Cyrus Schoonmaker of N. Y. The property is part of the Rochester Patent granted his father in 1703 by Queen Anne.

4 CORNELIUS SCHOONMAKER, son of Benjamin and Catrina (Depuy) Schoonmaker, was born about 1740 and died before 1805. He married April 14, 1767, Helena, baptized in New York, Oct. 6, 1747, daughter of Stephen and Ann (Millidge) Bassett.

The following deed is of interest as it shows the living heirs at its date, of Cornelius Schoonmaker.

Cornelius B. Schoonmaker of Rochester, Ulster Co., Charles Brodhead and wife Antje of New Paltz, Benjamin I. Hornbeck and wife Catharine of Warwarsing and John D. Chambers and wife Maria of Marbletown, as heirs of Cornelius Schoonmaker, deceased,

of Rochester, deed land in the later place for six cents to Gerret G. Van Waggoner and wife Helena of Saddle River, Bergen Co., N. J., April 18, 1805. (Recorded at Kingston, N. Y., Feb. 30, 1809, Liber 22, p. 407.)

Cornelius Schoonmaker served in the Revolutionary War as a private in the 3rd Reg't. of Ulster Co. Militia under Col. Levi Pawling. (N. Y. in the Revolution, 2d Edition by Roberts, p. 198.)

5 ANTJE SCHOONMAKER, daughter of Cornelius and Helena (Bassett) Schoonmaker, was baptized July 6, 1772 and married Charles Brodhead of Marbletown, N. Y., baptized Feb. 19, 1774.

See Brodhead.

References: N. Y. Record, Vol. 7, pp. 117, 118, Vol. 19, pp. 22-25; N. Y. Wills, Vol. 3, p. 13; Olde Ulster, Vol. 2, pp. 183-185; Ulster Co. Wills, Vol. 2, p. 114.

SCHOUTEN

Jan Schouten	m.	Sarah Janse
Anneke Schouten	m.	Joris Reyersen
Col. Martin Reyersen	m.	Catherine Cock
Nancy Reyersen	m.	Capt. Gerardus Hardenbergh
Rachel Hardenbergh	m.	Major Josiah Depuy
Elias Depuy	m.	Helen Brodhead
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 JAN SCHOUTEN and his wife Sarah Janse of whom nothing has been found, appeared before Wm. Bogardus, Notary Public of New York City, March 9, 1685/6 and requested he make a joint will, wherein they leave their estate to "the longest liver of the two." This was proven in the Court of Records, March 15, 1690.

2 ANNEKE (HANNAH) SCHOUTEN, daughter of Jan and Sarah (Janse) Schouten, was baptized in the Dutch Church in New York, March 17, 1666 and married first in that place, Teunis Dey; second, her bethrothal is recorded in the Flatbush Dutch Church, June 26, 1690 and her marriage in the Dutch Church of N. Y., Aug. 11, 1691, to Joris Martense, son of Martin Reyersen, they both residing at the Wallabout. She died May 17, 1743.

See Reyersen.

References: N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 157; N. Y. Dutch Marriages, pp. 56, 70; Flatbush, L. I. Dutch Church Marriages, p. 35; N. Y. Dutch Church Baptisms, Vol. 1, p. 82.

SNEDEKER

Jan Snedeker m.	_____
Jannetje Snedeker m.	Reynier Wizzelpenning
Tjelletje Wizzelpenning m.	Albert Stevense Van Voorhees
Cornelia Van Voorhees m.	Jurrien Westervelt
Angenitie Westervelt m.	David Romeyn
John Romer m.	Marytje Dutcher
Ellen Romer m.	David Dutcher
Seneca Dutcher m.	Rachel Depuy
Helen Louise Dutcher m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m.	Althea Gibb

1 JAN SNEDEKER came to this country as early as 1642 and was a shoemaker. He married first Annetje Buys and second, Lybertje Jans, widow of Herman Hendrickse and died in 1679. He settled first in New Amsterdam where he kept a tavern, but was later among the first settlers of Flatbush where he served as Magistrate from 1654 to 1664. Was a member of the Dutch Church in 1677 and on the Patent of the town in 1652.

2 JANNETJE SNEDEKER, daughter of Jan Snedeker and probably his first wife, married before 1670, Reynier Wizzelpenning.

See Wizzelpenning.

References: Early Settlers of Kings Co., N. Y., pp. 267, 268.

STRYCKER

Capt. Jan Strycker	m.	Lambertje Seubering
Angenietje Strycker	m.	Jan Cornelise Bongaert
Lammetie Bongaert	m.	Jan Claesen Romeyn
David Romeyn	m.	Angenitie Westervelt
John Romer	m.	Marytje Dutcher
Ellen Romer	m.	David Dutcher
Seneca Dutcher	m.	Rachel Depuy
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 JAN STRYCKER was granted land in New Amsterdam in 1643 provided he and his brother removed twelve families to the colony at their own expense. He was the son of Gerrit and came of a line in Holland, one branch of which has been seated near the Hague for some eight centuries and another at Rotterdam. Outside of Royalty, few families were more highly positioned. With his wife Lambertje Seubering, two sons and four daughters, Jan Strycker hailed from Ruinen in the province of Drenthe. His second wife Swantie Jans, whom he married April 30, 1679, was the widow of Cornelis de Potter of Brooklyn. He married third, March 31, 1687, Teuntje Teunis of Flatbush, widow of Jacob Hellekers, alias Swart or Swartcop of N. Y., who built the first house in New Utrecht, L. I. In 1654 he took the lead in founding a Dutch Colony at Midwout, now Flatbush, L. I., where the same year he was selected as chief Magistrate of the settlement, an office he generally filled for the following twenty years. He was one of the embassy selected at a convention held Dec. 10, 1653 at New Amsterdam, to be sent

to the Lord Mayors of Holland to complain of the annoyance of the English and Indians.

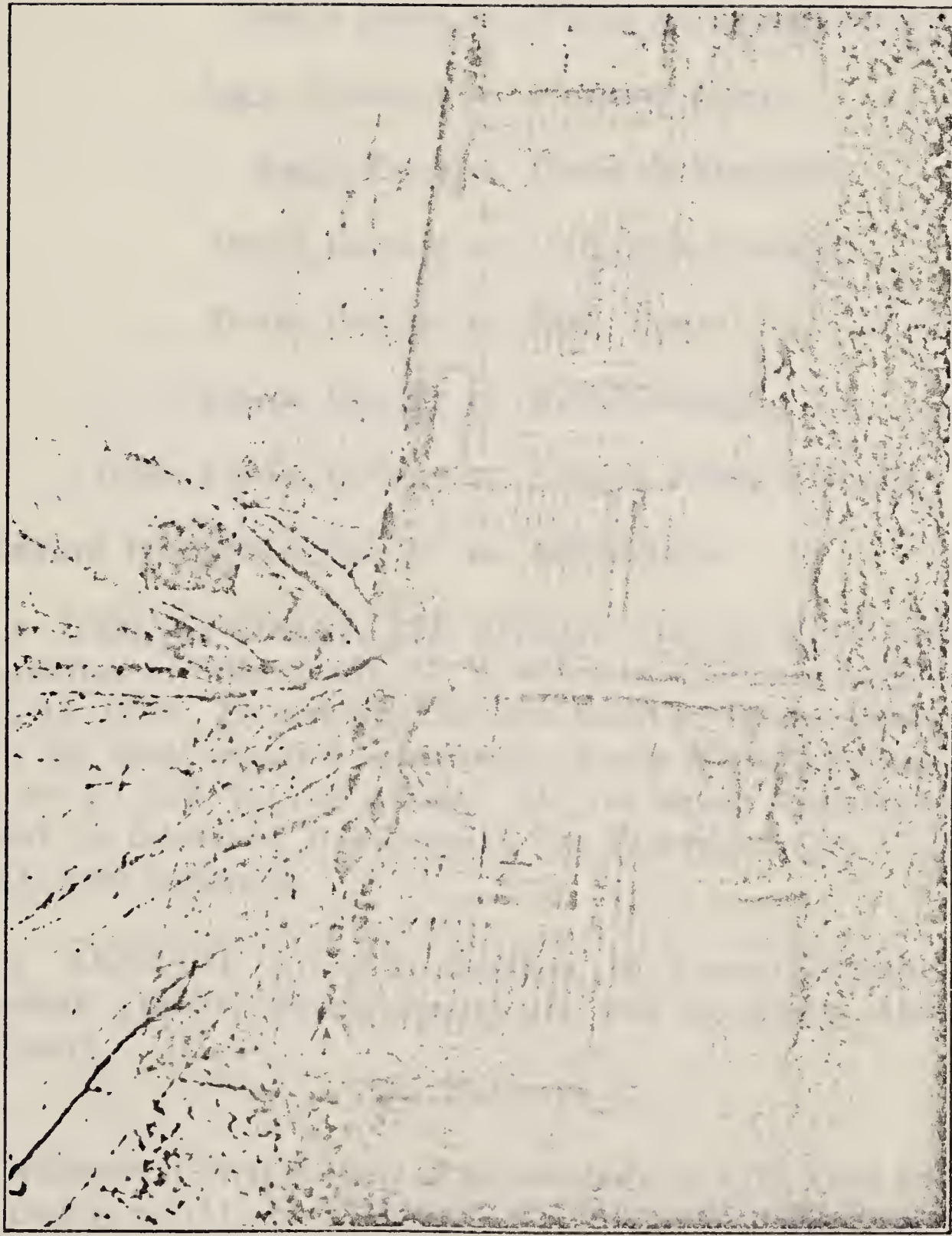
July 6, 1663 he appeared as a delegate to the convention assembled to engage the several Dutch towns to keep an armed force for public protection and he represented Flatbush at the Great Landtdag, called by the Burgomasters, which met April 10, 1664 at the State House to consider the precarious condition of the country. As a delegate to the Hempstead Convention of 1665 he helped enact the celebrated "Duke's Laws" and appears as a patentee on the Nicolls Patent of Oct. 11, 1667 and again on the Dongan Patent, Nov. 12, 1685. Prior to this time he had been elected Captain of the Midwout Militia (Oct. 25, 1673) and on March 26, 1674 was named Deputy to confer with Governor Colver at New Orange (formerly New Amsterdam) when the Dutch came back to their own. On Dec. 17, 1654 he was one of the two Commissioners appointed by the Director-General to build the Dutch Church and parsonage at Flatbush, the first erected on Long Island. The site of this church is the same as to-day, corner of Flatbush and Church Aves. The first church stood until 1698, when a larger structure was erected which stood for ninety-five years and its bell gave the first warning of the approach of the British when they landed in the Revolutionary War and after the Battle of Long Island the church was used as a hospital. Later the enemies stabled their horses in it. In 1793 this edifice was taken down and the present church was consecrated in 1797 but has been somewhat enlarged.

In 1686 Jan Strycker was charged in the church records for "a grave for his wife in the Church" and on Feb. 17, 1696/7 his son Garrit, was charged for the use of the shroud "for his father," who was without doubt laid by his wife.

2 ANGENIETJE STRYCKER, daughter of Jan and Lambertje (Seubering) Strycker, was born in Holland and married Jan Cornelise Bongaert and removed before 1686 to Hackensack, N. J.

See Bongaert.

References: Reformed Dutch Church Records of Flatbush, L. I.; Hackensack, N. J. Dutch Church Records, p. 1; N. Y. Record, Vol. 38, pp. 1-3.



DANIEL ELDREDGE HOME

Built about 1704, still standing, Stonington, Conn.

SWART

Teunis Cornelise Swart m. Elizabeth Lendt
 |
 Neeltje Swart m. Willem Abraham Tietsoort
 |
 Aegje Tietsoort m. Abraham Freer
 |
 Aegje Freer m. David de Duyscher
 |
 David Dutcher m. Margrietie Fonteyn
 |
 David Dutcher m. Ellen Romer
 |
 Seneca Dutcher m. Rachel Depuy
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 TEUNIS CORNELISE SWART was one of the original proprietors of Schenectady, N. Y. where he was made Magistrate, Aug. 11, 1676. He married Elizabeth Lendt or Vander Linde, who after his death married successively, Jacob Meese Vrooman and Wouter Uythoff, both of Albany. He was among those invited to attend the funeral of Mr. Jeremiah Van Rensselaer, Oct. 17, 1674 and to wear mourning.

2 NEELTJE SWART, daughter of Teunis Cornelise and Elizabeth (Lendt) Swart, became the wife of Willem Abraham Tietsoort.

See Tietsoort.

References: First Settlers of Schenectady, p. 179; First Settlers of Albany, p. 111; N. Y. Record, Vol. 41, p. 250; N. Y. Record, Vol. 48, pp. 237, 242.

TALLMAN

Peter Tallman m. Ann Hill
 |
 ——— Tallman m. William Wilbur
 |
 Jeremiah Wilbur m. Hannah Record
 |
 Hannah Wilbur m. John Burrows
 |
 Hannah Burrows m. George Eldredge
 |
 Robert Niles Eldredge m. Melinna Louise Johnson
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge m. Helen Louise Dutcher
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 PETER TALLMAN made a deposition in Portsmouth, R. I., March 13, 1702/3 in which he stated that he was 80 years of age and that in 1647 he came from Hambrough to the Island of Barbadoes and within two years of his arrival there he married Ann Hill, daughter of Phillip and Ann Hill and after seven or eight months he removed to Rhode Island bringing with him his wife, her brother Robert and his mother-in-law, who after her husband's death had married John Elton and she had remained in Rhode Island one year with her son Robert and afterwards removed to Flushing, L. I. and thence to Staten Island and afterwards to Virginia or Maryland, taking her son with her and after being in Virginia she had a child or more by Capt. Hudson whom she had married and that Peter Tallman "now of Guilford, Ct., is his own eldest lawful son."

The register of Christ Church Parish, Barbadoes states: "Married, Jan. 2, 1649, Peter Tolman and Ann Hill" thus verifying his deposition. In 1665 he was granted a divorce from his wife Ann, and married second, Joan Briggs and third in 1686 Esther ———.

During 1674 he was imprisoned for breaking the law of Massachusetts that no one should receive a gift of a deed of land from the Indians, but as he returned the deed he was soon released.

He served as Commissioner from Portsmouth 1661, 1662 and in 1661 was General Solicitor for the Colony of Rhode Island. Deputy to the General Court 1662-1665. His inventory was taken in 1708.

2 ——— TALLMAN, daughter of Peter and Ann (Hill) Tallman, married William Wilbur of Portsmouth and Little Compton, R. I., and died before Dec. 30, 1732. She is mentioned in several legal documents but not named.

See Wilbur.

References: Austin's R. I. Families, pp. 196, 228, 229; New England Register, Vol. 66, p. 90.

TEN BROECK

Lt. Wessel Ten Broeck	m.	Maria Ten Eyck
Maria Ten Broeck	m.	Capt. Charles Brodhead
Wessel Brodhead	m.	Catrina Du Bois
Capt. Charles Wessel Brodhead	m.	Sarah Hardenbergh
Charles Brodhead	m.	Antje Schoonmaker
Helen Brodhead	m.	Elias Depuy
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 WESSEL TEN BROECK was born in Munster, Westphalia about 1635 and died Nov. 25, 1704. He arrived in New Amsterdam on the ship "Faith" in Dec., 1659 and on Dec. 17, 1670 he married in the Dutch Church as Wessel Wesselsen of Wessen, Maria Ten Eyck of Amsterdam. By 1675 they were permanently established at Esopus (Kingston, N. Y.) where he at once took a prominent part in the affairs of both church and state.

In 1689 he was acting Indian Commissioner. In 1685 he was Lieut. of a Troop of Horses and in 1700 Lieut. of Foot. He was also special ambassador to Canada for Governor Dongan.

His first wife died Nov. 15, 1694 and Sep. 26, 1695 he married Laurentia Kellenaer, widow successively of Dominie Laurentius Van Gaasbeck and of Major Thomas Chambers, Lord of the Manor of Foxhall. His will was probated Jan. 6, 1705.

A tablet on an old stone house at Kingston has the following inscription: "Col. Wessel Ten Broeck born at Westphalia 1635, erected this stone house about 1676 where the Senate of the State of New York was held the year of the adoption of its first constitution in 1777 and continued to be held here until the burning of Kingston, Oct. 16, 1777."

2 MARIA TEN BROECK, daughter of Wessel and Maria (Ten Eyck) Ten Broeck, was born in 1674, died July 9, 1717 as the wife of Charles Brodhead, whom she married Nov. 14, 1693.

See Brodhead.

References: N. Y. Record, Vol. 19, pp. 69-71; Colonial Dames of N. Y., 1913, p. 392.

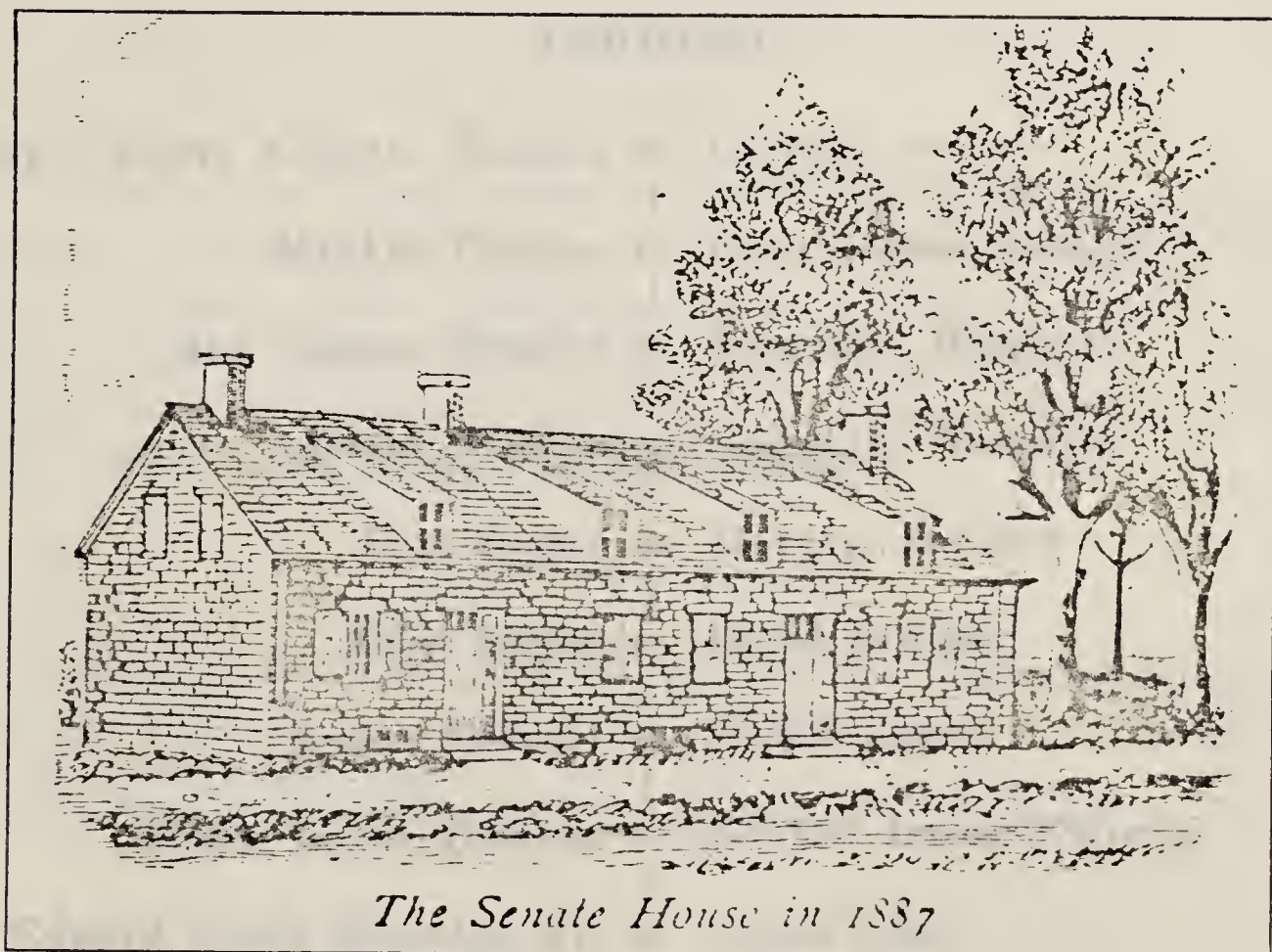
TEN EYCK

Corp. Coenradt Ten Eyck	m.	Maria Boele
Maria Ten Eyck	m.	Lt. Wessel Ten Broeck
Maria Ten Broeck	m.	Capt. Charles Brodhead
Wessel Brodhead	m.	Catrina Du Bois
Capt. Charles Wessel Brodhead	m.	Sarah Hardenbergh
Charles Brodhead	m.	Antje Schoonmaker
Helen Brodhead	m.	Elias Depuy
Rachel Depuy	m.	Seneca Dutcher
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 COENRADT TEN EYCK and his wife Maria Boele were in New Amsterdam prior to 1651 and are listed among the members of the Dutch Church. She died before Jan. 15, 1682, the date on which he married second, Annatje Daniels, widow of Herman Smeemant. His will dated Sep. 4, 1686, was proven April 5, 1687 in which he mentions the children of both wives. In 1686 he was



SENATE HOUSE TO-DAY
(See below)



The Senate House in 1837

STONE HOUSE AT KINGSTON, N. Y.

Built by Col. Wessel Ten Broeck about 1676, now known as the Senate House

residing on Broadway but the houses and tanneries mentioned in his will were located on the north side of Pearl St. next west of Staat Huys Lane which ran between it and the old City Hall. He also owned the water lots opposite the south side of Pearl St. and on the east side of Coenties Slip, which received its name from him. He served as Lance Corporal, 3rd Co. Burger Corps, New Amsterdam.

2 MARIA TEN EYCK, daughter of Conraedt and Maria (Boele) Ten Eyck, married Dec. 17, 1670, Wessel Ten Broeck.

See Ten Broeck.

References: Olde Ulster Magazine, Vol. 6, p. 332; Colonial Wars 1899-1902; Duycking Genealogy.

TERHUNE

Capt. Albert Albertse Terhune	m.	Geertje ———
Styntje Terhune	m.	Claes Jansen Romeyn
Jan Claesen Romeyn	m.	Lammetje Bongaert
David Romeyn	m.	Angenitie Westervelt
John Romer	m.	Marytje Dutcher
Ellen Romer	m.	David Dutcher
Seneca Dutcher	m.	Rachel Depuy
Helen Louise Dutcher	m.	Edward Irving Eldredge
Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr.	m.	Althea Gibb

1 ALBERT ALBERTSE TERHUNE, known as Albert the ribbon weaver, was early of New Amsterdam where in 1654 he had suit brought against him by the father of a young man, for his services, whom he had employed.

In 1657 he hired and cultivated part of the Nyack tract at New Utrecht, L. I. and on the formation of that village in 1657 he was one of the proposed settlers who was allotted a plantation of fifty

acres, for which he obtained a patent in Jan., 1662 and in 1659 was given his share of the Salt meadows lying "against Conyen Island." In Feb., 1660 the Director General and Council issued orders that those residing outside the villages in separate dwellings, remove into the towns for protection, as a precaution against the Indian depredations, among those disregarding this order was Albert Albertse Terhune and he was arrested and sentenced to pay 50 guilders and stand committed until paid. After being imprisoned he paid the fine and removed into the village of New Utrecht where he owned one of the first twelve houses in the place.

He appears in a number of law suits which indicate he was a man of unusually strong determination.

In 1664 he sold his property in New Utrecht and in 1675 removed to Flatlands where he had previously purchased several parcels of land and he and his wife were members of the Church there in 1677. He married Geertje, whose maiden name is not known. She died in 1693. On April 12, 1682, with Jacques Cortelyou and others he obtained a patent for five thousand acres on the Passaic River in N. J. in which deed he is styled Captain. The date of his death has not been found.

2 STYNTJE ALBERTSE TERHUNE, daughter of Albert Albertse and Geertje Terhune, married Claes Jansen Romeyn and was a member of the Dutch Church in Flatlands in 1677 and 1685. She, in 1686, is listed among the members of the Dutch Church in Hackensack but is not mentioned after 1722, when she witnessed the baptism of her grandson Claes.

See Romeyn-Romer.

References: N. Y. Record, Vol. 11, pp. 159, 160, 161; Hackensack, N. J. Dutch Church Records, pp. 1, 81, 134; N. J. Archives, 1st Series, Vol. 21, p. 51.

TIETSOORT

Willem Abrahamse Tietsoort m. ———

Aegje Tietsoort m. Abraham Freer

Aegje Freer m. David de Duyscher

David Dutcher m. Margrietie Fonteyn

David Dutcher m. Ellen Romer

Seneca Dutcher m. Rachel Depuy

Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge

Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 WILLIAM ABRAHAMSE TIETSOORT was early of Schenectady, N. Y. and barely escaped with his life in the French and Indian massacre and destruction of that place by the Indians in 1689-90, when through the snow and ice and zero weather his daughter Gerty was permanently lamed. He was friendly with the Delaware Indians and acted for them and was probably the first white settler on the Delaware western border. He finally removed to Dutchess Co., N. Y.

2 AEGJE (AGATHA) TIETSOORT, daughter of Willem Abrahamse Tietsoort, married in New Paltz, N. Y., April 28, 1694, Abraham, son of Hugo Freer.

See Freer.

References: N. Y. Record; Vol. 41, pp. 250, 251.

VAN ALST

Joris Stevensen Van Alst m. Geesie Harmen Hendricksen
 |
 Helena Van Alst m. Capt. Michael Bassett
 |
 Stephen Bassett m. Ann Milledge
 |
 Helena Bassett m. Cornelius Schoonmaker
 |
 Antje Schoonmaker m. Charles Brodhead
 |
 Helen Brodhead m. Elias Depuy
 |
 Rachel Depuy m. Seneca Dutcher
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
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 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 JORIS STEVENSEN VAN ALST was from Bruges, capital of West Flanders. In the early records he was commonly called Joris de Caper, i.e., George the Sailor. He was in New Amsterdam before 1652 for on May 5 of that year he married there, Geesie, daughter of Harmen Hendricksen from Witmund and soon after purchased two plantations in Maspeth Kills, L. I. in Newtown. He made his will July 8, 1707 which was proven Jan. 10, 1710/11 in which he gave all his property to his wife for her life, then to their children. When she died is not known.

The name Van Alst is derived from the Manor House of Alst, anciently in possession of this family who in accordance of the time were designated as of (Van) Alst. This Manor is in that district of Flanders which still bears the name of Alst, lying between the rivers Scheld and Denber.

2 HELENA VAN ALST, daughter of Joris Stevensen and Geesie (Harmen Hendricksen) Van Alst, was baptized in the Dutch Church of New York, Dec. 18, 1672 and married there, Dec. 5, 1693, Michael Bassett of St. Christopher's Island.

See Bassett.

References: N. Y. Dutch Marriages, pp. 16, 76; N. Y. Dutch Baptisms, Vol. 1, p. 108; N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 55.

VAN BREESTEDE

Jan Janszen Van Breestede m. Engel Janse
 |
 Elsie Van Breestede m. Lt. Hendrick J. Schoonmaker
 |
 Capt. Jochem Schoonmaker m. Anna Hussey
 |
 Margriet Schoonmaker m. Moses Depuy
 |
 Elias Depuy m. Rachel Robinson
 |
 Major Josiah Depuy m. Rachel Hardenbergh
 |
 Elias Depuy m. Helen Brodhead
 |
 Rachel Depuy m. Seneca Dutcher
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

Jan Janszen Van Breestede m. Engel Janse
 |
 Tryntje Van Breestede m. Rutger Jacobsen (see Rutsen)
 |
 Col. Jacob Rutsen m. Marritje Bergen
 |
 Sarah Rutsen m. Nicholas Roosa
 |
 Mary Roosa m. Abraham Hardenbergh
 |
 Sarah Hardenbergh m. Capt. Charles Wessel Brodhead
 |
 Charles Brodhead m. Antje Schoonmaker
 |
 Helen Brodhead m. Elias Depuy
 |
 Rachel Depuy m. Seneca Dutcher
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
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1 JAN JANSZEN VAN BREESTEDE, born in Breestede, Denmark, now Germany, is mentioned in the Dutch Church Records of New Amsterdam when on Sept. 1, 1641 his widow, Engel Janse became the wife of Egbert Wouters from Yselstein in Holland.

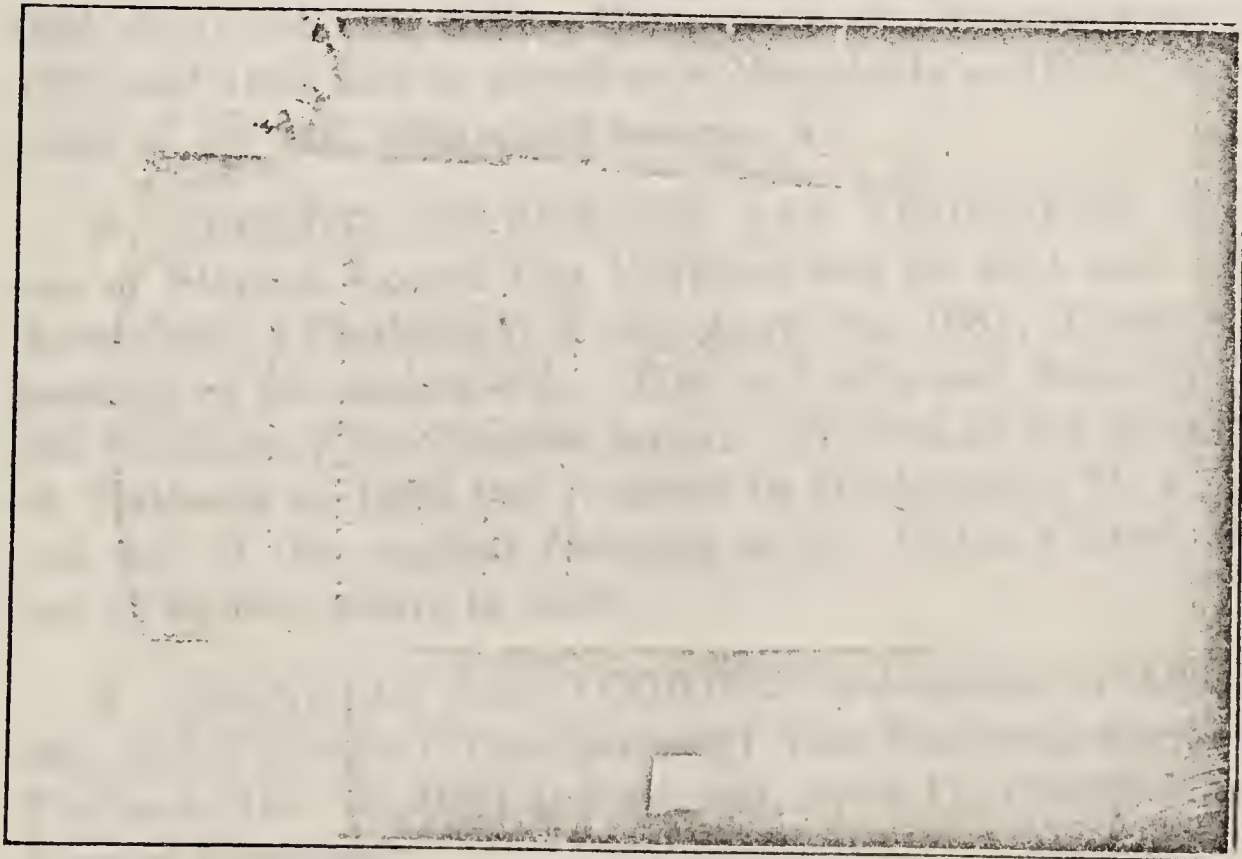
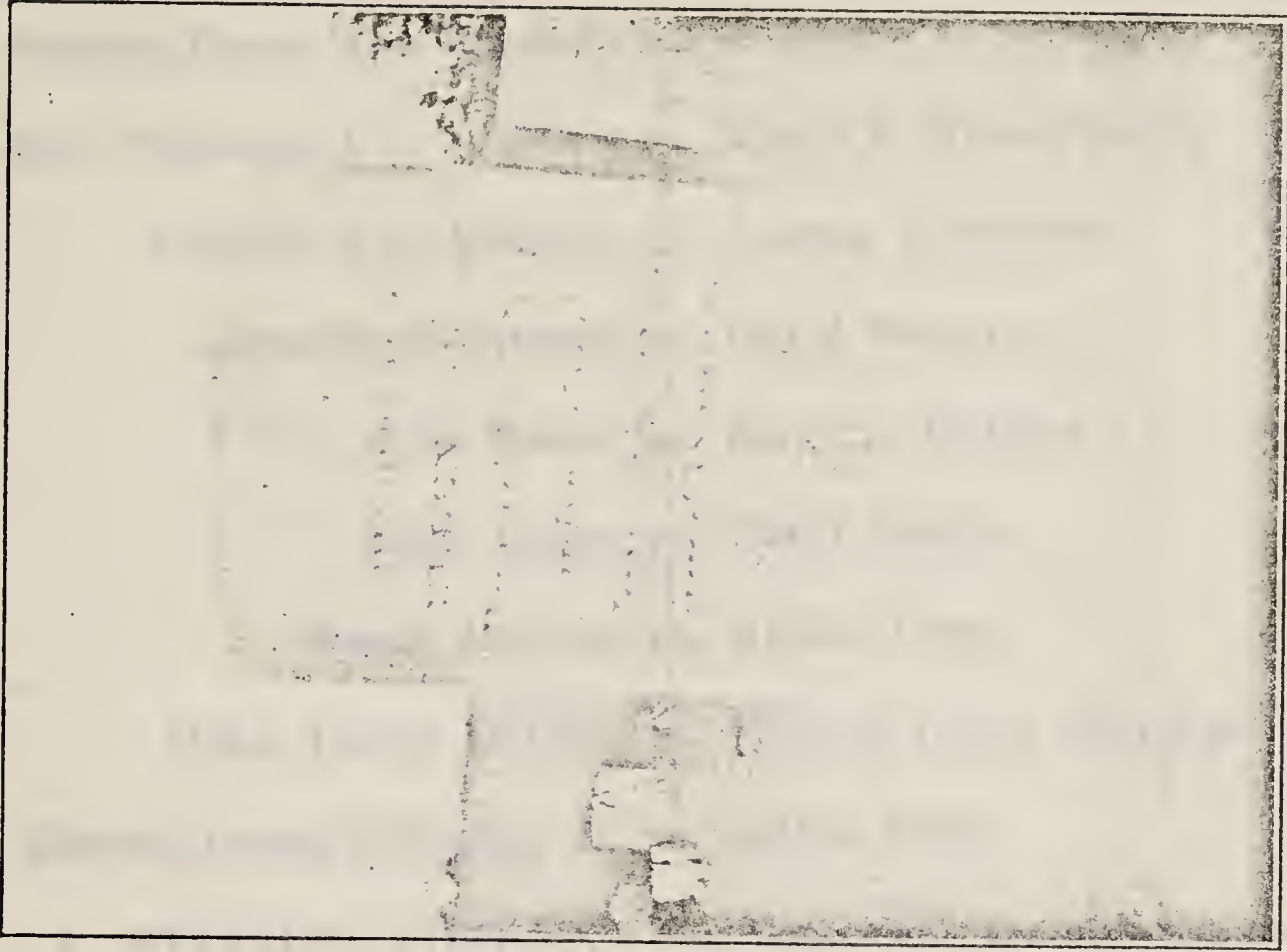
2 TRYNTJE VAN BREESTEDE, daughter of Jan and Engel (Janse) Van Breestede, was born in Holland and married in New Amsterdam, June 3, 1646, Rutger Jacobsen of Albany, who was of Schoenderwoert or Woert and whose descendants assumed the name of Rutger or Rutsen. She married second in her old age, Dec. 5, 1695, Hendrick Janse Rosebloom and died in 1711 at the home of her son Jacob Rutsen at Rosendale, N. Y.

See Rutsen.

2 ELSIE VAN BREESTEDE, daughter of Jan and Engel (Janse) Van Breestede, was born in Holland. At her father's death she had gone into the service of Cornelis Melyn of Staten Island, who brought suit against her step-father on account of her marriage engagement before her time had expired. She married, May 17, 1643, Adriaen Pieterszen Van Alcmaer as his second wife, who died before 1657, during which year or perhaps earlier she became the wife of Hendrick Jochemse Schoonmaker, who died about 1681 and on Sept. 6, 1684 she became the wife of Cornelis Barentse Sleght, one of the first Magistrates of Ulster Co.

See Schoonmaker.

References: N. Y. Record, Vol. 7, p. 117, 118; N. Y. Conveyances, Liber 12, p. 126; N. Y. Dutch Marriages, p. 14; First Settlers of Albany, pp. 93, 94; New Netherlands Register, p. 113.



GRAVESTONES OF DAVID DUTCHER AND HIS WIFE ELLEN ROMER, LIBERTY, N. Y.

VAN VOORHEES

Stephen Coerte Van Voorhees m. ———
 |
 Albert Stephense Van Voorhees m. Tjelletje Wizzelpenning
 |
 Cornelia Van Voorhees m. Jurrien Westervelt
 |
 Angenitie Westervelt m. David Romeyn
 |
 John Romer m. Marytje Dutcher
 |
 Ellen Romer m. David Dutcher
 |
 Seneca Dutcher m. Rachel Depuy
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
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 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 STEPHEN COERTE (Van Voorhees), the common ancestor of that family, emigrated from Ruinen in Drenthe, in 1660 at 60 years of age, with his wife and seven children and settled in Flatlands, L. I. He married second in 1677, Willempie Seubering and died about Feb. 16, 1684. His name is on the assessment rolls for 1675 and 1683 and he served as a Magistrate in 1664. The maiden name of his first wife is not known.

2 ALBERT STEPHENSE VAN VOORHEES, born 1654, son of Stephen Coerte Van Voorhees and his first wife married at Amersfoort (Flatlands), L. I., April 24, 1681, Tjelletje Wizzelpenning as his second wife. His first wife was Barentje Willemse and his third, Elina Vander Schure. He was on the assessment roll of Flatlands in 1683 but removed to Hackensack, N. J., where he was one of the original founders of the Dutch Church there and one of its first elders in 1686.

3 CORNELIA VAN VOORHEES, daughter of Albert Stephense and Tjelletje (Wizzelpenning) Van Voorhees, was baptized in Flatlands, Oct. 14, 1681 and married, April 17, 1703 in Hackensack, Jurrien Westervelt.

See Westervelt.

References: Early Settlers of Kings Co., pp. 374, 375; Dutch Church Records at Flatbush and Hackensack; Van Voorhees Genealogy, p. 20.

VAN WYCK

Cornelis Barentse Van Wyck m. Anna Polhemus
 |
 Marytje Van Wyck m. Martin Hendrick Wiltsie
 |
 Johannis Wiltsie m. Teuntje Haff
 |
 Kniertje Wiltsie m. William Fonteyn
 |
 Margrietie Fonteyn m. David Dutcher
 |
 David Dutcher m. Ellen Romer
 |
 Seneca Dutcher m. Rachel Depuy
 |
 Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 CORNELIS BARENTSE VAN WYCK probably received his name from the village of Wyk in North Brahand, Holland. He emigrated to America in 1660 and settled in Flatbush, L. I. and was a member of the Dutch Church in that place. He married first Anna, daughter of Rev. Polhemus, but she deceased prior to 1684, when he married the second time. He was buried June 23, 1713. He served as Constable in 1675 and resided about one thousand feet south of the Dutch Church.

2 MARYTJE VAN WYCK, daughter of Cornelis Barentse and Anna (Polhemus) Van Wyck, married in the Dutch Church in Flatbush, July 26, 1690, Martin Hendrick Wiltsie of Newtown.

See Wiltsie.

References: Van Wyck Genealogy, p. 25; Records of the First Reformed Dutch Church of Flatbush, L. I.; Early Settlers of Kings Co., N. Y., p. 367.

VIGNE

Julian Vigne m. Adriana Cuveillé
 |
 Christina Vigne m. Dirck Volckertsen
 |
 Madaleen Volckertsen m. Harman Hendricksen Rosecrans
 |
 Anna Rosecrans m. Humphrey Davenport
 |
 Elizabeth Davenport m. David de Duyster
 |
 David de Duyscher m. Aegje Freer
 |
 David Dutcher m. Margrietie Fonteyn
 |
 David Dutcher m. Ellen Romer
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1 JULIAN VIGNE and his wife Adriana Cuveillé, were from Valenciennes, France, and their son John, is said, by tradition, to have been the first male child of European parentage born in New Amsterdam. They probably came to America with the Walloon Colonists in 1623. He died before April 30, 1632 when she married second, Jan Jansen Damen. Julian Vigne and his wife owned a farm near Wall and Pearl Sts. The old homestead went to the son John, who was one of the great burghers of the city and as he left no children, he remembered in his will his deceased sister Christina and her children. John died Dec. 21, 1689 and was called the owner of a tract of land between Wall St. and Maiden Lane and also called an heir of Jan Jansen Damen whose estate was inventoried July 6, 1651.

2 CHRISTINA VIGNE, daughter of Julian and Adriana (Cuveillé) Vigne, married Dirck Volckertsen and died before 1689.

See Volckertsen.

References: History of Harlem, p. 613; Mrs. Lamb's History of N. Y., Vol. 1, p. 287; N. Y. Wills, Vol. 1, p. 154, Vol. 2, pp. 401, 402; N. Y. Dutch Mss., p. 54.

VOLCKERTSEN

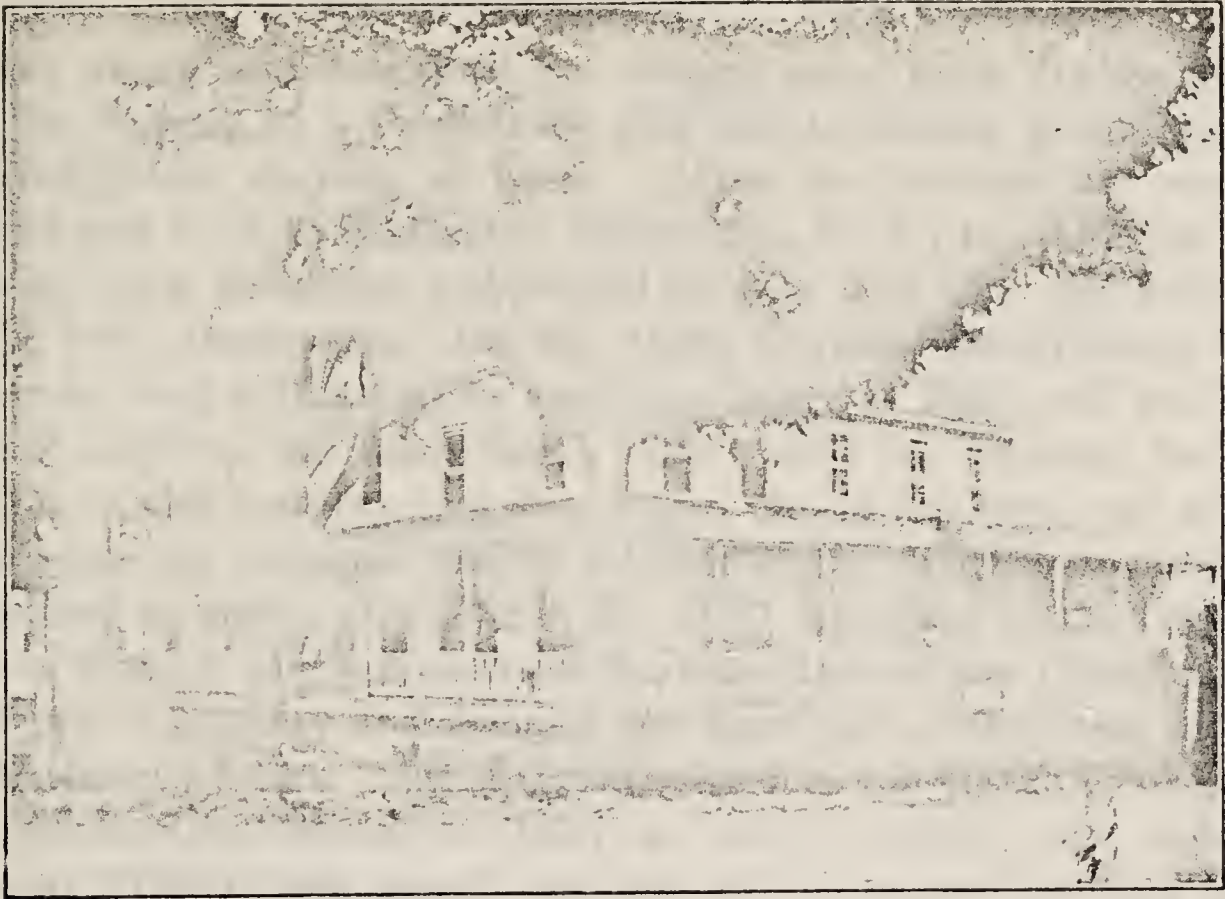
Ens. Dirck Volckertsen m. Christina Vigne
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1 DIRCK VOLCKERTSEN, a Norwegian, was in New Amsterdam as early as 1638 and in 1639 leased property on the Bowery, May 18 of that year.

He obtained a patent, April 3, 1645, for 25 morgens on the East River and Maspeth Kill, which he sold in 1653 to Jacob Haye. This place from its earliest settlement was known as Greenpoint, being a neck of land embraced between Maspeth Kill now Newtown Creek, and Norman's Kill now Bushwick Creek. Dirck Volkertsen who was a ship carpenter lived on the north side of Bushwick Creek near the East River in an old stone house built in 1641, which was torn down about 1869. He was assessed in Brooklyn in 1675 and its Magistrate in 1681. In 1689 he was appointed Ensign of Militia of the town. In old documents he is frequently called Dirck, the Norman, and from his name the present Bushwick Creek was known as Norman's Kill.

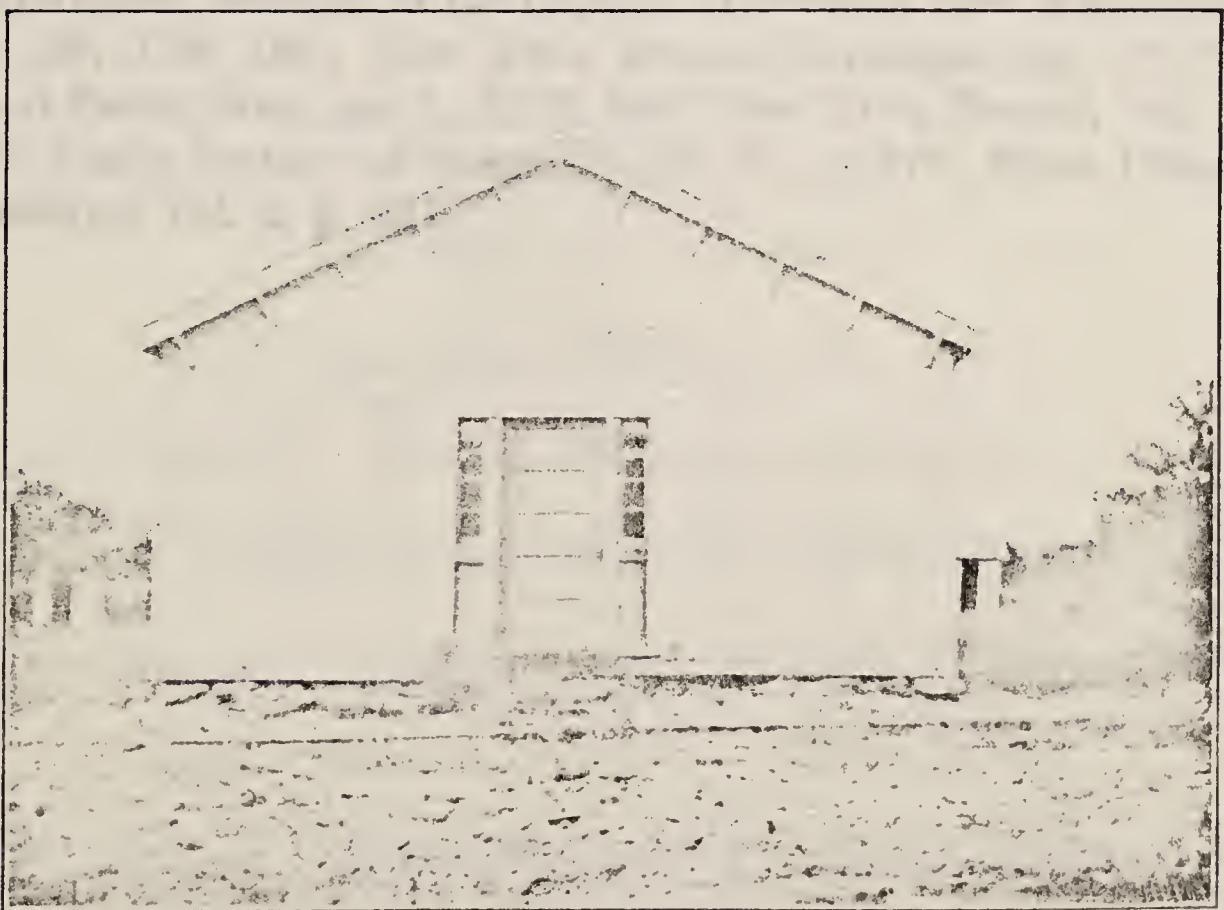
He married Christina, daughter of Julian and Adriana (Cuveillé) Vigne. Dates of death have not been found.

2 MADALEEN (MAGDALENA) VOLCKERTSEN, daughter of Dirck and Christina (Vigne) Volckertsen, has left her record on the early Dutch manuscripts because of her quick temper, said to have been inherited from her father. She called the fire warden a



HOME AT RED BRICK, LIBERTY, N. Y.

Where all the children of Seneca and Rachel (Depuy) Dutcher
were born



SCHOOL AT RED BRICK, LIBERTY, N. Y.

Attended by Helen Louise (Dutcher) Eldredge, when young

chimney sweep and was fined for stating some plain truths which hurt the dignity of a magistrate and had to defend herself alone, her bridegroom staying at home. After she married her second husband and went to Rochester, Ulster Co., N. Y., to reside she fell out with Capt. Brodhead and bathed his face with ale. She married first in New Amsterdam, Oct. 24, 1652, Cornelis Hendricksen Van Dort, who died in the Indian uprising, Sep. 15, 1655 and was left with six children, one being small. She stated her husband had no relatives in this country and Jan Vigne, one of her own, was asked to care for the youngest child's interest in the father's estate, but he declined to serve. On March 22, 1657 according to the Orphan Masters Records she had married Harmen Hendricksen (Rosecrans) of Bergen in Norway and demand was made for a settlement of her first husband's estate. She married second in the Dutch Church at New Amsterdam, March 3, 1657 as above stated. She became known as "The Flying Angel" and she and her second husband were banished for giving liquor to the Indians but were soon permitted to return. She died "full of years" at Rochester in Ulster Co., date not known.

See Rosecrans.

References: Minutes of the Orphan Masters of New Amsterdam, pp. 4, 29, 179, 192; New York Dutch Marriages, pp. 17, 21; Colonial Dutch Mss., pp. 2, 8, 36, 285; New York Record, Vol. 41, p. 113; Early Settlers of Kings Co., N. Y., p. 373; Stiles History of Brooklyn, Vol. 2, p. 321.

WELLS

Thomas Wells m. ———
 |
 Hugh Wells m. Frances *Belchior*
 |
 Ens. Hugh Wells m. Mary Rusco
 |
 Rebecca Wells m. John Packer
 |
 Capt. James Packer m. Abigail Avery
 |
 Desire Packer m. Capt. John Burrows
 |
 Sergt. John Burrows m. Hannah Wilbur
 |
 Hannah Burrows m. George Eldredge
 |
 Robert Niles Eldredge m. Melinna Louise Johnson
 |
 Edward Irving Eldredge m. Helen Louise Dutcher
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1 HUGH WELLS, born in England, 1590, was the son of Thomas Wells, a zealous Puritan of London, Eng., and came to New England in the ship "Globe" in 1635. He located in Hartford in 1636 but took up his residence in Wethersfield about 1645. After his death his widow Frances, maiden name not known, married Thomas Coleman and removed in 1650 to Hadley, Mass., taking two of her sons with her and died there in 1678.

2 HUGH WELLS, son of Hugh and Frances Wells, was born in England in 1625 and as a carpenter, built the first Meeting House in Wethersfield, Ct., where he had settled in 1645. In 1659 he was the Town Recorder; 1667 Sergeant of the Train Band and its Ensign in 1678. He married, Aug. 19, 1647, Mary, daughter of William Rusco of Hartford and died Dec. 22, 1678.

3 REBECCA WELLS, daughter of Hugh and Mary (Rusco) Wells, was born in Wethersfield, Ct., Jan. 10, 1651/2 and married first, Thomas Latham, Oct. 15, 1673 and second, June 24, 1676, John Packer, who died in 1689.

See Packer.

References: New England Register, Vol. 4, p. 343; Savage; History of Wethersfield, Ct., Vol. 2, p. 780.

WESTERVELT

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 |
 Jurrien Westervelt m. Cornelia Van Voorhees
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 Angenitie Westervelt m. David Romeyn
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1 LUBBERT LUBBERTSEN (WESTERVELT), from Meppel, agriculturist, with wife and four children; sailed for New Amsterdam on the ship "Hope," April 8, 1662, which arrived in that place May 24th. Meppel is situated a few miles from the eastern shore of the Zuider Zee in the province of Drenthe, Holland and three miles east of Zwolle. He married Geesie Roelofse and they settled on Long Island where he purchased a house in Flatbush from Jan Miserol in 1670. Prior to 1676 he removed to Hackensack, N. J., where when the Dutch Church was organized there in 1686 the names of himself and wife are found as members. He died soon after 1686 and his wife was living as late as 1696.

2 JURRIEN WESTERVELT, son of Lubbert and Geesie (Roelofse) Westervelt, was born on Long Island, probably in Flatbush and married first, Geesie, daughter of Jan Bongaert and Angenitie Stryker, in 1694; second, Aug. 19, 1699 in Hackensack, Antie, daughter of Siba Banta and Mary Sip; third, in Hackensack, April 17, 1703, Cornelia, daughter of Albert Van Voorhees and Tjelletje Wizzelpenning; fourth, in Hackensack, Oct. 6. 1738, Lende Romein, widow. He was Deacon of the Dutch Church in Hackensack, March 18, 1694 and again on March 9, 1700; Elder in May, 1710 and May, 1722. In 1687 he purchased two hundred and thirty-four acres lying between the Hackensack and Saddle Rivers. In this deed he is named as of Essex Co. and it is the first document recorded on the clerk's office of Bergen Co., N. J. He was living in 1738, well advanced in years and was listed as a Freeholder of Bergen Co.

2 ANGENITIE WESTERVELT, daughter of Jurrien and Cornelia Albertse (Van Voorhees), was baptized May 25, 1717 and married June 5, 1736, David Romeyn, baptized May 17, 1714. She died before 1745 but was living in 1743.

See Romeyn-Romer.

References: Westervelt Family, pp. 1-20; Poughkeepsie Deeds; Hackensack Dutch Church Records.



ROAD CHURCH, STONINGTON, CONN.

Whose records contain the baptisms of the children of
Daniel Eldredge

WILBUR

William Wilbur m. Martha ———
 |
 John Wilbur m. Hannah ———
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 Mary Wilbur m. Jonathan Records
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 Hannah Records m. Jeremiah Wilbur
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 Jeremiah Wilbur m. Hannah Record
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1 WILLIAM WILBUR, born 1630, married Martha, whose maiden name is not known. Some well-known authorities claim he was the son of Samuel, of Boston, who was banished from there because of his religious convictions, but careful research does not sustain their statement, nor is he mentioned in the will of Samuel, 1656. He was probably the nephew of said Samuel, who on June 10, 1654, then of Taunton, Mass., deeded William, ten acres of land in Portsmouth, L. I. In 1668 and 1676 William Wilbur was Con-

stable in Portsmouth and its Deputy in 1678. He removed to Little Compton and his death is recorded there in 1710. His will was proven Aug. 15th of that year and in it he mentions John Wilbur and Mary Records, children of his son John, also mentions his son William and others.

2 JOHN WILBUR, son of William and Martha Wilbur, was born in 1658 and married in 1682, Hannah, whose maiden name is not known.

On Dec. 20, 1720 John Wilbur of Little Compton, for love and affection, deeded Jonathan and Mary Records, thirty acres of land. This deed is filed in Taunton, Mass., Liber 13, p. 451.

2 WILLIAM WILBUR, son of William and Martha Wilbur, was born in 1660 and was of Portsmouth and Little Compton, R. I. With forty-seven others he purchased five thousand acres at E. Greenwich, Oct. 31, 1677. He made his will Dec. 30, 1732, which was proven June 20, 1738 in which he left his son Jeremiah, ten shillings. He married a daughter of Peter Tallman. She is mentioned in legal documents but not named.

The will of William Wilbur of Little Compton, R. I., is filed in Taunton, Mass. (Liber 9, p. 841/2), dated Dec. 30, 1732, proven June 20, 1738 in which he mentions his children: William, Joseph, whom he makes sole executor, Jeremiah "who has had his share," Sarah Tallman, Phoebe Shaw and heirs of deceased son Samuel.

3 MARY WILBUR, daughter of John and Hannah Wilbur, was born in 1685 or 1686 and married in Little Compton, now in R. I., Feb. 8, 1706, Jonathan Records.

See Rickards-Records.

3 JEREMIAH WILBUR, son of William and ——— (Tallman) Wilbur, was born in Little Compton, R. I., Dec. 17, 1706 and married there by Richard Billings, Justice, June 20, 1728, Hannah Record. He removed to Groton, Conn., where five of his children were born. Dates of death have not been found.

4 HANNAH WILBUR, daughter of Jeremiah and Hannah (Record) Wilbur, was born in Groton, Ct., about 1737 and married Sep. 13, 1761, John Burrows, born Groton, Oct. 9, 1734. Her brother Uriah Wilbur, born 1735, married Nabby, the sister of John Burrows.

See Burrows.

References: Austin, pp. 196, 228, 229; Wilbur Family by Asa Wilbur, 1871; Vital Records of Little Compton, L. I. in Newport Co, pp. 67, 182; Town Records of Portsmouth, R. I., pp. 105, 142, 180, 191, 195; Vital Records of Groton, Ct. in State Library at Hartford; Burrows Genealogy; Vital Records, Boston, 1630-1700, pp. 56, 58; History of Stonington, Ct., p. 280; Taunton, Mass. Wills and Deeds.

WILTSIE

Hendrick Martensen Wiltsie m. Margaret Meyer

Martin Hendrick Wiltsie m. Marytje Van Wyck

Johannis Wiltsie m. Teuntje Haff

Kniertje Wiltsie m. William Fonteyn

Margrietie Fonteyn m. David Dutcher

David Dutcher m. Ellen Romer

Seneca Dutcher m. Rachel Depuy

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1 HENDRICK MARTENSEN WILTSIE from Copenhagen, Denmark, married in the Dutch Church of New Amsterdam, Jan. 10, 1660, Margaret, daughter of Jan Meyer and widow of Herman Janszen. He enlisted in the Esopus War of 1663 and was captured by the Indians and reported killed, but he returned and in 1681 purchased a farm at Hell Gate which he conveyed to his son Teunis in 1706. In the records of both church and town the name is sadly mixed with that of Wilson and some of the births of this family are recorded under the latter name. They were both living 1701.

2 MARTIN HENDRICK WILTSIE, son of Hendrick Martensen and Margaret (Meyer) Wiltsie, was of Newtown, L. I., when he recorded his betrothal on July 26, 1690 to Marytje Van Wyck of Flatbush, in the Dutch Church at the latter place. In 1695 they resided in N. Y. but removed to Jamaica where he was living in 1704. He was one of the Church Masters of the Dutch Church at Success, L. I., now Manhasset, being chosen Oct. 9, 1736, and he

heads the list of contributors for the new church there on May 26, 1731. On April 14, 1730 he was chosen as one of the overseers for building the new church. When he died is not known.

3 JOHANNIS WILTSIE, son of Martin and Marytje (Van Wyck) Wiltsie, was baptized in the Dutch Church at New York, Aug. 25, 1695 and married Teuntje Haff. In 1723 he was residing in Jamaica, L. I., but before 1739 had removed to Fishkill as he signed a petition there Aug. 1st of that year, as a resident. Dates of death have not been found.

4 KNIERTJE WILTSIE, daughter of Johannis and Teuntje (Haff) Wiltsie, was baptized in the Dutch Church at Jamaica, L. I., March 11, 1723 and married in Fishkill, N. Y., Nov. 29, 1741/2, William Fonteyn (Van Tine). She married second in Fishkill, June 7, 1746, Applie Koenradt of Switzerland, widower of Elizabeth Dobbel.

See Fonteyn (Van Tine).

References: Van Wyck Genealogy, p. 381; History of Dutchess Co., N. Y., p. 510; Baptisms, Dutch Church, Jamaica, L. I., p. 56; N. Y. Dutch Baptisms, Vol. 1, p. 229.

WIZZELPENNING

Reynier Wizzelpenning m. Jannetje Snedeker

Tjelletje Wizzelpenning m. Albert Stephense Van Voorhees

Cornelia Van Voorhees m. Jurrien Westervelt

Angenitie Westervelt m. David Romeyn

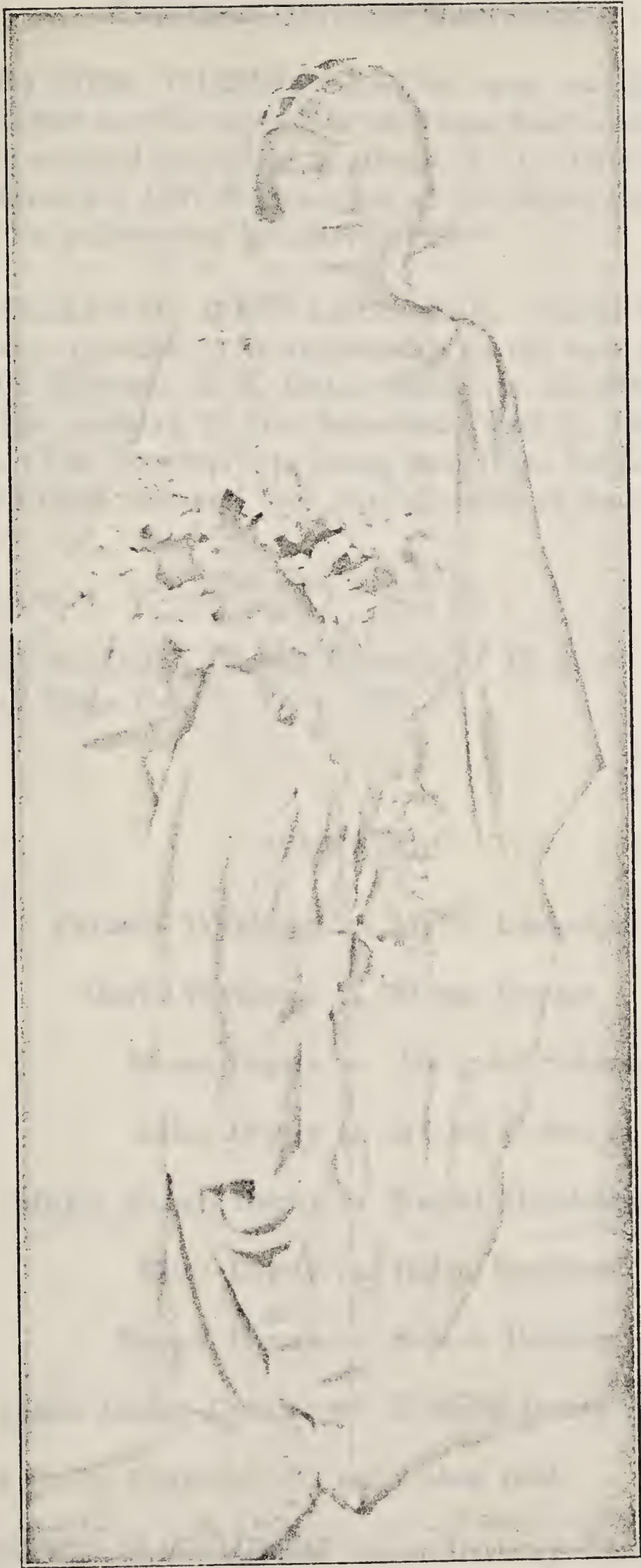
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FRANCES (BROWN) ELDREDGE

1 REYNIER WIZZELPENNING was in Albany before 1654 as he had married the widow of Simon Root and she died that year. He married second in Flatbush, L. I., Jannetje Snedeker, and on March 16, 1657 the Deacons of the Dutch Church received the fee of six guilders for his marriage fee.

2 TJELLETJE WIZZELPENNING, daughter of Reynier and Jannetje (Snedeker) Wizzelpenning, in the record of her marriage in the Flatbush, L. I. Dutch Church is called from "Middlebury in this country." Her betrothal April 3, 1681 to Albert Stephense (Van Voorhees), a young man from Ruynen in Drenthe is recorded there also and they were married at Amersfoort, April 24, 1681.

See Van Voorhees.

References: Dutch Church Records of Flatbush, L. I.; Early Settlers of Kings Co., N. Y., p. 391.

WYNKOOP

Cornelis Wynkoop m. Maria Langedyck

Maria Wynkoop m. Moses Dupuis

Moses Depuy m. Margriet Schoonmaker

Elias Depuy m. Rachel Robinson

Major Josiah Depuy m. Rachel Hardenbergh

Elias Depuy m. Helen Brodhead

Rachel Depuy m. Seneca Dutcher

Helen Louise Dutcher m. Edward Irving Eldredge

Edward Irving Eldredge, Jr. m. Althea Gibb

1 CORNELIS WYNKOOP was in Beverwyck as early as 1655 and in 1659 requested the appointment of a curator on the estate of Gysbert Phillipsen in the Esopus, but just what his interest was in it was not ascertained. He sold his property in Albany and settled in Esopus (Kingston) about 1664 having purchased land

in that neighborhood in 1663. He was appointed Schepen in 1672, 1673, 1674 and the latter year was a member of the Commission of Defense against the French. He served as elder in the Dutch Church in 1671. During 1675 he commenced the manufacture of brick, near the bridge at Kingston and died before July 8, 1679.

He married Maria, daughter of Jan Jansen Langedyck, who survived him.

2 MARIA WYNKOOP, daughter of Cornelis and Maria (Langedyck) Wynkoop, was born in Albany and married Moses DuPuis.

See Depuy.

References: Wynkoop Genealogy, pp. 9, 10, 12, 15.

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